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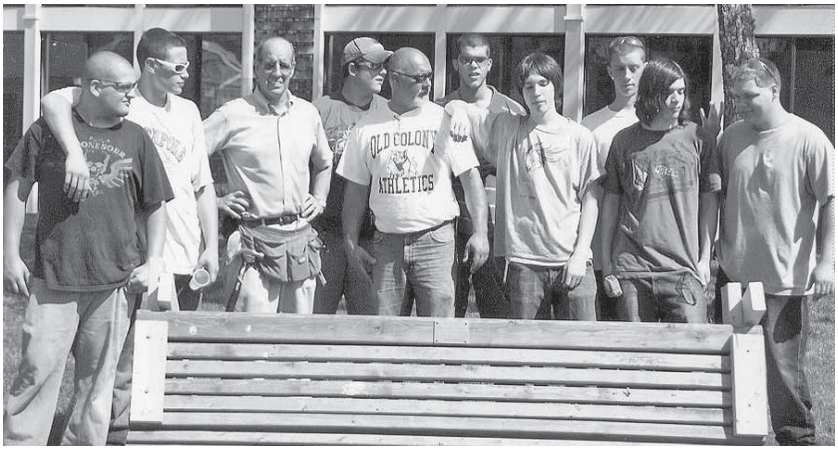
***Above**: Members of the 2008 Old Rochester Regional High School Girls Tennis Team had a perfect season, going 20-0. This marks the first time in the history of tennis (both boys' and girls') at ORR. They advanced to the South-Coast semi-finals with a 22-0 record, ultimately losing to Cohasset. Pictured are (top row, from left) Lauren Anderson, Sally Beauvais, Captain Bridget Murphy, Coach Bob Hohne, Tara Middleton, Erica Janik, Captain Michaela Shoemaker; (bottom row, from left) Christina Musser,Stephanie Barrett, Amy Heacox, Mary-Lee Barboza, Nina Batt and Helaina Hyhart. (Photo courtesy of Ellen Murphy).*



***Above**: Eight students from Old Colony Regional Vocational Technical High School in Rochester recently constructed and installed three new benches on the Village Court property in Mattapoisett. Working diligently under the direction of OCR instructors, the students dug holes and firmly anchored the benches on the premises in 90-degree heat. Mahoney Builders donated the lumber for the project and a plaque on each bench reads: "Donated by Old Colony RVTHS and Mahoney Builders." (Photo courtesy of Joyce Gagne).*

***On the cover:** Young riders prepare to participate in the second annual Tri-Town Ride for Kids which took place at Center School in Mattapoisett on Saturday, June 14 as part of the Pan Mass Challenge (PMC) to benefit the Jimmy Fund and the Dana-Farber Cancer Institute in their fight against cancer. Organized by local residents and spearheaded by Kathy Gauvin, the event saw hundreds of kids ranging in age from 3 to 15 years ride through the tree-lined streets of Mattapoisett Village in distances ranging from one to eight miles. (Photo by Robert Chiarito).*

Community Outreach

Weekend Events Benefit Cancer Organizations

By Robert Chiarito

The second annual Tri-Town Ride for Kids took place this past Saturday, June 14 at the Center School in Mattapoisett as part of the Pan Mass Challenge (PMC) to help raise money in the fight against cancer. The event was organized by local residents and was spearheaded by Kathy Gauvin as part of a larger effort aimed at raising $34 million for the Jimmy Fund and the Dana-Farber Cancer Institute.

The grounds around the school had the feeling of a school fair as a DJ spun hits that blasted out over loudspeakers while others prepared a cookout that would be a part of a party held in honor of the children who gave up their first Saturday of the summer to help kids in need. "You guys should be very proud of yourselves," Ms. Gauvin told the young bike riders as they were set to make their treks through Mattapoisett village, "You took the first day of your summer vacation to help cure cancer."

And with that children ranging in age from 3 to 15 years were off riding through the tree-lined streets of Mattapoisett. Saturday's event saw children participating in several different fundraising efforts designed with both safety and fun in mind. For those who came riding tricycles or bikes with training wheels, there was an obstacle course set up on the school's outdoor basketball courts. Older children rode the longer courses of one mile, four miles or eight miles with each rider making

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as many trips around the circuit as they were able. Other events included a bake sale and a raffle of prizes donated by local businesses.

Throughout the Commonwealth of Massachusetts this summer towns are holding bike rallies to help raise money for various charitable organizations, such as the Dana-Farber Cancer Institute, that are both doing research to find a cancer cure and helping to make the lives of those who have cancer a bit more comfortable. The Pan Mass-Challenge is the largest contributor to the Jimmy Fund each year donating nearly half of the organization's yearly funding. A point of pride that separates the PMC from other organizations is that 99 percent of the monies it raises go directly to the charities that it supports making it one of the world's most efficient fundraising organizations. To date the Challenge has raised over $204 million since its founding in 1980.

While all of this was going on at Center School, the American Cancer Society's Relay For Life of the Tri-Town was taking place at the track on the campus of Old Rochester Regional High School. Volunteers began walking laps around a luminary lit track at 6:00 pm Friday evening, June 13 as part of the American Cancer Society's efforts in their fight against cancer. The relay included entertainment by the ORR Drama Club and a raffle that offered those who participated the chance to win tickets to see the Patriots, Red Sox and Paw Sox. Luminaries were lit in remembrance of those who lost their battles

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with cancer, while others formed the word *HOPE* on a slope at the head of the ORR track to help guide walkers as they made their way through the night. The event lasted throughout the night and concluded at 12:00 noon on Saturday Morning.

It is never too late to contribute to the Pan-Mass Challenge. Events are being held throughout the state for bicyclists of all ages this summer. Those interested in finding out more about the PMC and its efforts can visit their web site at **www.pmc.org/**. If you would like to find more information about the American Cancer Society's efforts, you can find them on the web at **www.cancer.org** or you can go to **www.relayforlife.org**.

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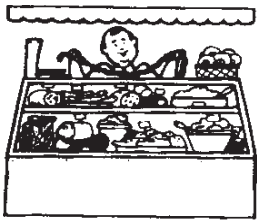

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Summer Night

Rochester Drive-In Benefits Playground

By Robert Chiarito

If you are of a certain age there was a time when a warm summer's Saturday night out more than likely included a trip to a drive-in movie. Parents would get the little ones ready for bed and then load everyone into the car and drive off to the big screen on the edge of town to watch a Disney movie or a double feature for $5 a carload. That was very much the scene on Saturday evening, June 14, as community members staged a movie under the stars at the Dexter Lane fields to help raise funds to build a playground on the site.

Plans for a playground at the Dexter Lane facility date back to 2005, but funding the project has proven to be a challenge over the years. This year the students of Mr. Davignon's fourth grade class at Rochester Memorial School heard about the idea for the playground and the efforts to raise money to fund the project, and they decided to get themselves involved.

With little or no movement towards a Dexter Lane playground over the past few years, the students made it their goal to make the dream a reality and asked what they could do to help. Earlier this spring an auction was organized where Rochester residents and businesses donated items that were offered for bid. Students gathered the items and helped to create baskets filled with the donations that raised about $8,000 and breathed much

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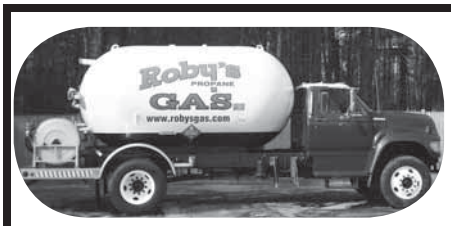

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need life into the project.

"It is the community that is supporting this," said Diane Nunes at the event on Saturday night. Ms. Nunes was one of the organizers who helped to make the drive-in movie night happen. "This all started in 2005 really, but when the kids found out about it earlier this year the whole thing really took off again" she added as she stood among the several hundred people who gathered on the lawn between the ball fields. Ms. Nunes went onto to say, "Once the kids became involved, the community really got behind this again."

As the sun was setting on Rochester Saturday evening, Selectman Rick Nunes could be found at the park's entrance collecting money and directing cars into the parking lot. Inside the park blankets were spread out and lawn chairs were being unfolded as girls danced to the sounds of the *Grease* soundtrack that their mothers danced to a generation before them. Residents with pick-up trucks and family vans backed up to the edge of the parking area, dropping the tailgate or popping the hatch-back to get an elevated view of the screen that would be showing the Disney / Pixar film *Cars* as soon as it was dark enough. As boys rough-housed their way across the fields, the smell of popcorn filled the air inviting people to buy a bag or two to munch when the movie began.

Estimates for building the playground have been set at $30,000. This year's fund-raising efforts have pushed the fund past the two-thirds mark. A hand-drawn sign at the entrance to the Dexter Lane recreation area created by one the Rochester Memorial School students offered the following plea for those who would like to contribute to the cause: "*Dexter Lane Playground. Help us build a new playground for kids. Contact Craig Davignon, Rochester Memorial School. Donations gratefully accepted. Thank you*."

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Music Legacy

Stan Ellis Takes Final Bow

By Kenneth J. Souza

Longtime music teacher and mentor Stan Ellis took his final bow after directing the Old Rochester Regional High School Jazz Band during a performance at the annual Pops Concert on May 21. While Mr. Ellis will continue to serve as Music Director at Old Hammondtown School in Mattapoisett, his lasting legacy at ORR High School is one that will not soon be forgotten.

Under Mr. Ellis' direction, the Old Rochester Regional High School Jazz Band has recieved every award given by the International Association for Jazz Educators (IAJE). The Friends of Old Rochester Music (FORM), re-

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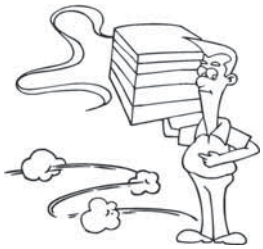

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cently announced one of their annual music scholarships will be named after him and given to an ORR senior who will be pursuing music at the college level.

His appreciation of this honor was evident, as he said: "I have worked with some great kids."

Since Mr. Ellis took the helm in 2001, the ORR Jazz Band has become the most decorated Jazz Bands in the SouthCoast region one of the most honored in Massachusetts. Their impressive list of accomplishments under Mr. Ellis' direction includes:

• Winning the Grand Prize at the Branson, Missouri Jazz Festival in 2005;

• Earning five top three finishes at the Berklee Jazz Festival, including two First Place Awards and a First Place Finish for the Jazz Combo this past year;

• Seven straight Gold Medals at the International Association of Jazz Educators' (IAJE) State Competition; and

• Five "Outstanding Performances" at the Clark Terry Jazz Festival at the University of New Hampshire.

On May 10 the ORR Jazz Big Band and Combo performed at the famed Hatch Shell on the Charles River in Boston, along with other jazz ensembles that won Gold Medals at the 2008 IAJE Competition.

Two of Mr. Ellis' nine graduating seniors from ORR's Class of 2008 are going on to study jazz music.

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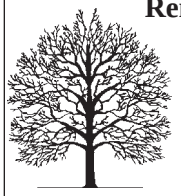

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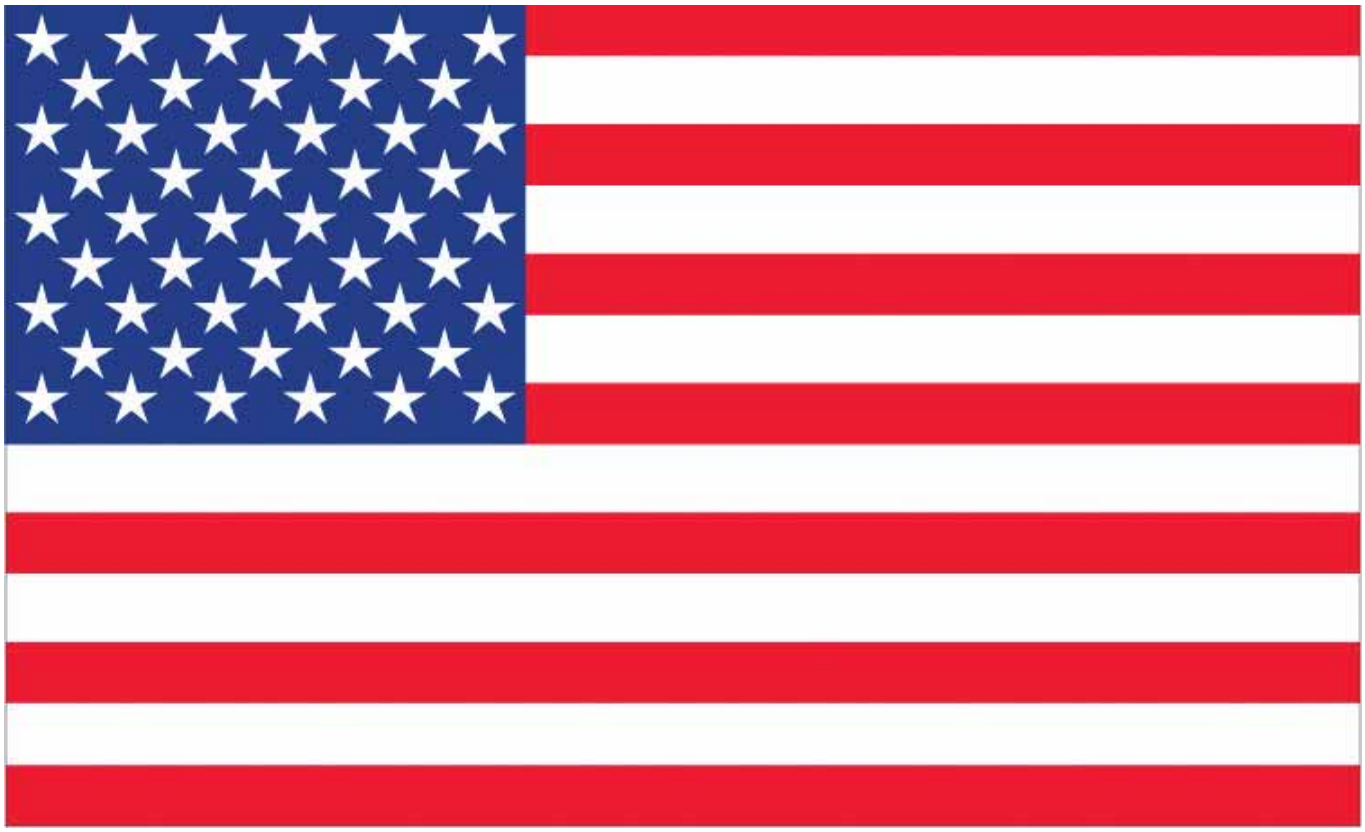

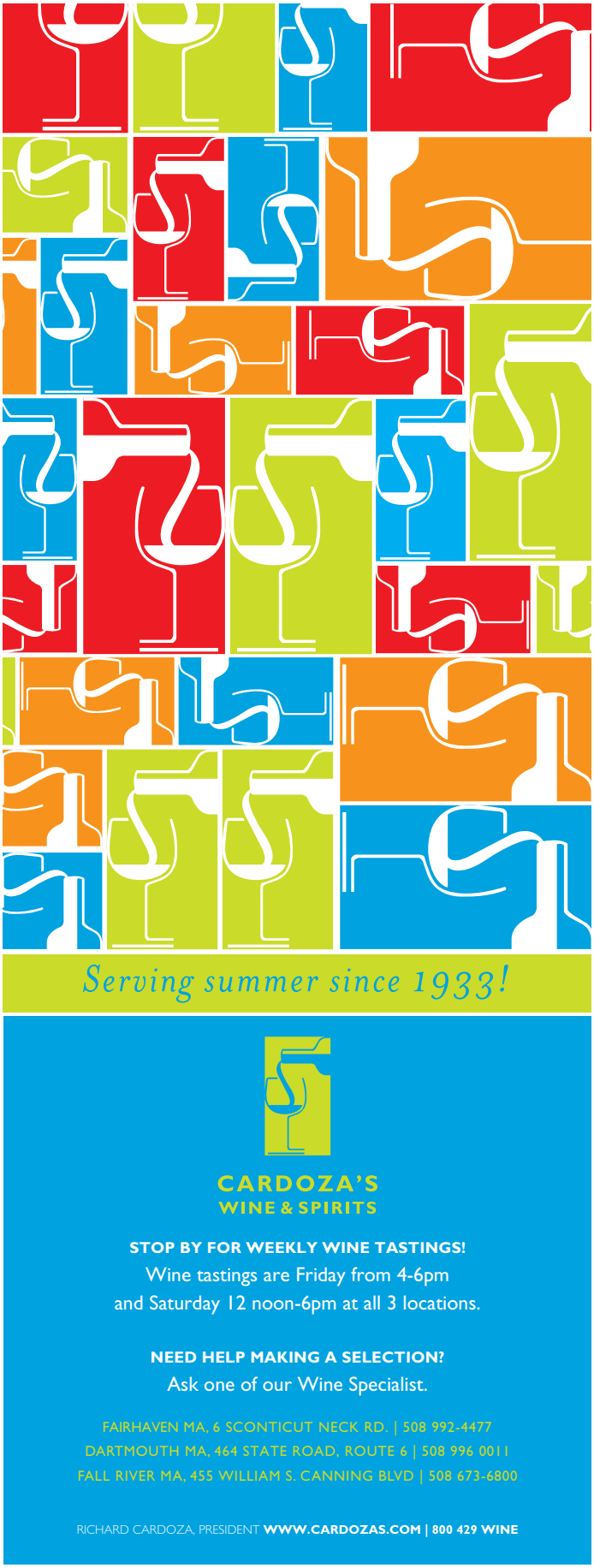

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School Report

Relay for Life: Helping Hope Live

By Olivia Mello

The Tri-Town Relay for Life was held at the ORR High School field on Friday, June 13 until the following Saturday morning. Dedicated teams set up their campsites around the school track, packed with sleeping bags, snacks and other necessities to help them through the 13 hours ahead. The relay began with an inspirational welcome by one of the members of the committee, followed by a speech made by cancer survivor Russell Holt.

The first lap of the evening was taken by those in honor of the event — the cancer survivors. During lap number two, all caregivers of these patients were then asked to join, followed by the Relay for Life committee members during the third lap. Finally, all captains along with their team members began to walk with the others, in memory of those who had been lost to cancer and with hope for those who are still fighting. Soon after the fundraiser began, the ORR Drama Club stepped up to the microphone to perform pieces from their latest production of *Evita*. Doug Zeppenfeld, who was an ORR graduate last year, went on to sing original ballads by Josh Groban.

The 9:00 hour brought the most heart-wrenching moment of the Relay for Life event. Luminary bags, which were sold for a donation of $5 and decorated in memory of those lost to cancer, had been filled with sand and a single candle. They were then placed around the track and once lit created a beautiful lining of light. A Luminaria Ceremony soon began in which pictures of loved lost ones were shown upon a projection screen. It was the first time during the night that it became clear the true effect that cancer has upon so many lives.

My cousin, Jacqueline Pequita, died from leukemia in 1991, only a few months before my birth. Although I was never able to meet her, I have learned, through the years, how much of a saint she was throughout her time spent on Earth. I immediately saw her face in the pictures on the screen and I realized how strong those lucky enough to have met her actually were. One of my best friends was standing beside me during the ceremony. Only a year ago her grandmother — her role model —

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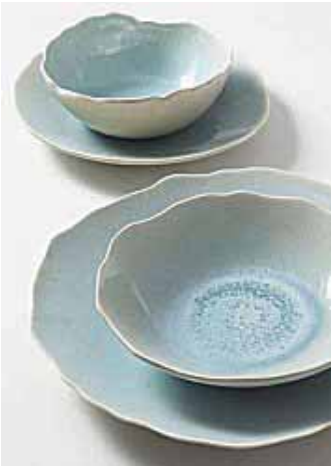

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passed away from cancer. I began to hear my friend weep and as terrible as it is to have a reason to cry, I almost felt jealous that she was able to shed those tears. Although they were caused by a death, her tears were, in fact, a symbol of life. They stood for a life that impacted another so greatly.

I turned and pulled her into my arms, in hopes that a hug would erase all of her pain. I was wrong when I thought I would be able to comfort her for when she returned my embrace something unexplainable came over me. A rush of tears welled up inside of my chest and made their way rolling down my cheeks. I felt the loss of not only my best friend but of everyone else who was hurting around me. It was this little moment in time that made me so glad for participating in the Relay for Life.

Once the sad feelings passed, everyone joined back together with high spirits and continued walking until the sun came up. Just like the committee had said, "Cancer never sleeps," and so neither did we.

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The Mattapoisett YMCA welcomes the community to their first-ever celebration of YMCA Healthy Kids Day on Saturday, June 28 from 10:00 am to 12:00 noon. The cost of this event is $5 per person or $20 per family with all proceeds going towards the YMCA Annual Scholarship Fund. In 2007, this fund provided over

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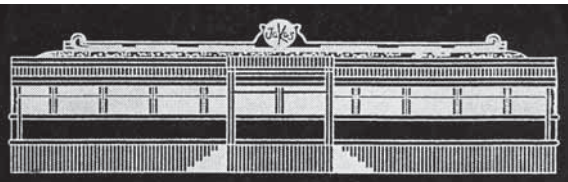

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YMCA Healthy Kids Day and *Healthy Family Home* exemplify Activate America, the YMCA's response to our nation's growing health crisis. The YMCA is redefining itself and engaging communities across the country to better support Americans of all ages who are struggling to achieve and maintain well-being in spirit, mind and body.

Throughout its nearly 160-year history as a volunteer and charitable organization, the YMCA has continually evolved to meet the changing needs of the communities and individuals it serves. Today a new set of issues are calling the YMCA to act, including:

• Our nation's lifestyle health choices are contributing to increased rates of disease and reduced quality of life.

• Families are finding it difficult to balance their work, family and civic life.

• Youth, regardless of family income, are not receiving the support they need to develop positive skills and values that can guide them throughout their life.

"The challenge is that many families see healthy living as an all-or-nothing proposition," said Tricia Driscoll, Executive Director of the Mattapoisett YMCA. "Through this lens, achieving a healthier lifestyle can seem overwhelming or out of reach. YMCA Healthy Kids Day shows families and kids that making healthy choices can be easy, fun and accessible to everyone. And through our new *Healthy Family Home* resources, we're giving families take-home tools to help them assess the foundation of how they play, eat and connect together as a family."

The YMCA and Eli Lilly and Company have partnered to create *Healthy Family Home* because it leverages two of the most powerful forces affecting health and well-being: the family home and proven impact of small, sustained changes. *Free Healthy Family Home* "Starter Kits"

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will be distributed to families who participate in YMCA Healthy Kids Day (while supplies last) and also will be available free to all families online at **www.ymca.net**.

YMCA Healthy Kids Day activities for kids and grown-ups will include:

• Live Broadcast from Radio Disney sponsored by Verizon;

• Special Appearance by local celebrities Jay and Mark Kruger from the hit NBC show *The Biggest Loser*;

• Healthy Family Walk;

• Family Swim, archery and climbing tower;

• Healthy Snacks and much more!

Additional resources will be available to help kids and families achieve their greatest potential from strengthening their financial health to building better bonds together to improving their physical health and nutritional well-being. Registration for Camp Massasoit and other summer programs such as Family Fun Nights and Learn to Sail programs also will take place at the event.

"So many families and individuals desire a healthier and happier life but struggle to sustain it," Ms.

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Driscoll said. "Whether they are in our YMCA facilities, out in the community or in their own homes, we want families to know that we are here to help them find a way to start making new habits, as well as a supportive community to help them along the way."

YMCA Healthy Kids Day reminds Americans that they too can be a part of the solution in their community — strengthening bonds, building positive values, spending time together, improving the health and well-being of their family and making friends for life — making an impact of change for themselves and their community.

YMCA Healthy Kids Day is supported by the American Diabetes Association, American Heart Association, American Public Health Association, American Cancer Society, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, and the National Association of Chronic Disease Directors. The Mattapoisett YMCA is proud to host representatives from Radio Disney AM1260 WMKI, Verizon, Southcoast Hospital Group, Trader Joe's, Ocean Spray, the Town of Mattapoisett Emergency Medical Services (EMS) and the Massachusetts State Police.

For more information about YMCA Healthy Kids Day, please call Clare Hartford at the Mattapoisett YMCA at **508-758-4203** or e-mail **chartford@ymcasouthcoast.org**.

Sports Shorts

Mattapoisett Recreation

Mattapoisett Recreation will be hosting a "What's up this Summer?" Sign-Up session on **Thursday, June 19** from **5:30 to 7:30 pm** in the **Old Hammondtown School Gym** foyer. Many activities are in the works, including: **Flag Football** - For all ages on Tuesday and Thursday nights at 5:30 pm at the ORR High School (Track Field); **Sport Yoga for the Ladies** - Thursdays 8:00 to 9:00 am at the Town Beach and **Sport Yoga for**

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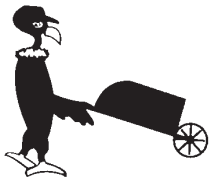

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Don't Forget ... **Orientation and Registration for the Old Rochester Conditioning Program** will be held Saturday, June 14 from 10:00 am to 12:00 noon. This program will focus on Speed Training, Plyometrics, Weight Training, Conditioning and Flexibility and is open to all students of the tri-town area (Grades 8-12). Start dates, times and locations of some of these events are still in the works, so check out their website (**www.mattapoisett.net** and click on "Recreation"), your child's backpack for flyers, and *The Wanderer* for more updates. All tri-town residents are welcome to attend these programs.

Marion Recreation

The **Marion Recreation Department** is now registering for its summer programs, which include **swimming**, **kayaking**, **sailing**, **tennis**, **field hockey**, **yoga** and the **Marion Mile for Kids**. Please call **508-748-2816** for more information.

Brian Rose Baseball Clinic

A **Brian Rose Baseball Clinic** will be held **July 21-25** from **9:00 am to 3:00 pm** at **Old Hammondtown School** in Mattapoisett. The clinic will include five fun-filled days of baseball fundamental training and games

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ORR Tennis Clinics

The **ORR Tennis Clinics** under the direction of **Coach Bob Hohne** will again be held this summer at the ORR High School Tennis Complex. The morning clinics are for area students from Grade 1 through Grade 12. The night clinics are for adults ranging from beginners to high intermediates.

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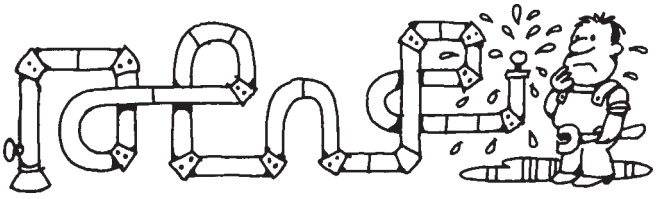
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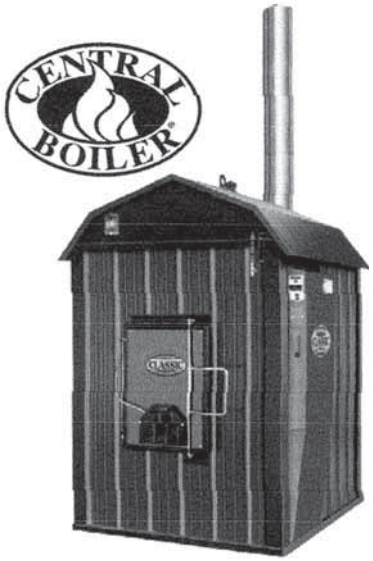
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Adult Lessons will run on Monday nights, beginning June 16 and concluding on August 4. Lessons for Beginners will be from 4:30 to 6:00 pm; Advanced Beginners/Low Intermediates from 6:00 to 7:30 pm; and Intermediates to High Intermediates from 7:30 to 9:00 pm. The fee for 12 hours of adult instruction is $96.

Coach Hohne will be assisted by former Players of the Year Cayla Clancy and Caselie Brodie-Gifford and players from ORR's past and present championship teams. Space in the camp is limited, so please register early. For more information or a brochure, please contact Coach Hohne at **508-758-9081** or e-mail **rhohne@orr.mec.edu**.

Tri-Town Basketball Camp

The **Tri-Town Basketball Camp** under the direction of coach Rick Regan will be held this summer at Old Rochester Regional High School. The camp is for boys and girls in Grade 4 through 9 from Mattapoisett, Marion, and Rochester. This is the twelfth year the Tri-Town Basketball Camp has been under the direction of Coach Regan. He has coached at both Old Rochester Regional Senior High and Junior High School for different levels of boys

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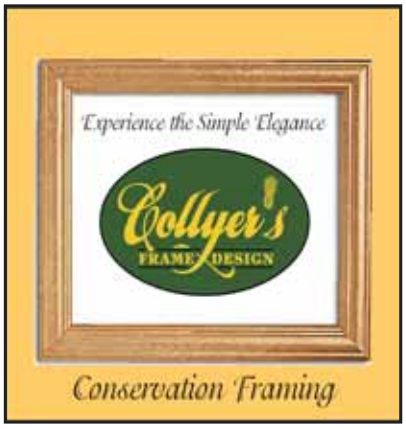

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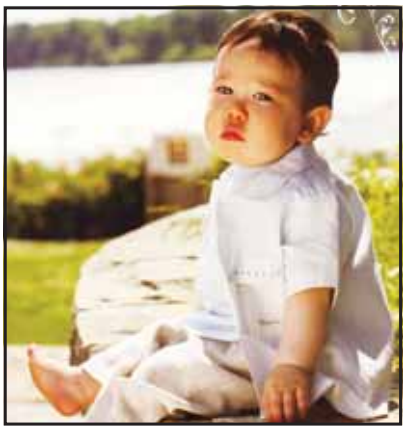

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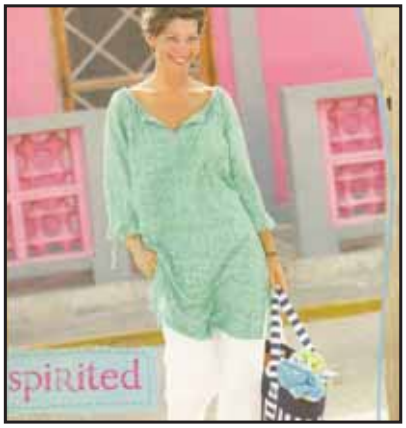

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The first session is for boys and will be held from **July 14-17**. Boys presently in Grades 4, 5 and 6 (school year 2007-2008) will attend from 9:00 am to 12:00 noon. Boys presently in Grades 7, 8 and 9 (school year 2007-2008) will attend from 1:00 to 4:00 pm.

The second session is for girls and will be held from **July 21-24**. Girls presently in Grades 4, 5 and 6 (school year 2007-2008) will attend from 9:00 am to 12:00 noon. Girls presently in Grades 7, 8 and 9 (school year 2007-2008) will attend from 1:00 to 4:00 pm.

The camp focuses on the fundamentals and development of shooting, passing, dribbling, ball handling, rebounding, post play, as well as individual and team defense. The camp counselors who assist Coach Regan will be former and current players from Old Rochester as well as other local area coaches.

The cost of the camp is $115 per session. Registration forms can be obtained through Coach Regan's camp website at **http://web.com.mac/rick.regan.** There are still spots available so send in your registration form as soon as possible. For questions or more information, please email Coach Regan at **coachregan3@gmail.com**. They look forward to seeing both former and new campers this summer.

Mariner Soccer Club

The **Mariner Youth Soccer Club** is now beginning registration for the Fall 2008 season. Registration will take place through **June 30, 2008**. Children who are born between July 31, 2004 and August 1, 1995 are eligible to play. This recreation league is open to all children who live in Acushnet, Fairhaven, Marion, Mattapoisett and Rochester. Registration is available online at **www.marinersoccer.org** or registration forms can be downloaded

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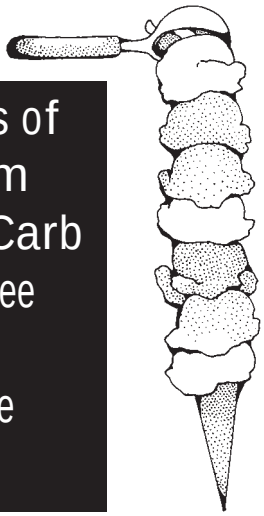

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For more information about this event, forms, directions and maps, please visit the "Upcoming event forum" at **www.buzzardsbayrowing.org** or call **508-961-5955.** This race is held in conjunction with the Coalition for Buzzards Bay's Annual Swim Buzzards Bay.

Little Harbor Golf

The Little **Harbor Women's Golf Association** recent results are:

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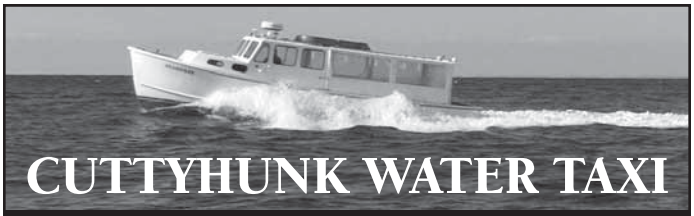
• Second place: **Joanne Murphy**, **June Clancy**, **Linda Mowles**, and **Lil Harwood**; and

• Third place: **Karen Jaworski**, **Ruth Gorman**, **Janet Perkins**, and **Kathy Ciaccio**.

The Closest-to-the-Pin winners were: **Ginny Anderson** on hole #1; **Diane Walsh** on hole #3; **Jane Egan** on



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hole #11; and **Ginny Anderson** on hole #17.

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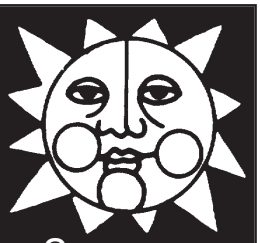

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Letters to the Editor

To the Editor:

I attended both nights of the recent Marion Town Meeting. My overall impression is that there is a 'disconnect' between most of the voters and our town officials. Both want to do the necessary things. Our officials are trying to do it for the least expense on one hand and build for the future on the other. The result is we get oversized public projects, in excess of current need and over-equipped town services. We wonder about the

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expertise of the town's consultants.

The majority of voters want to keep costs down but favor doing things correctly and based on current need. They also like Marion as it is, and do not want to increase the tax base, nor cede control and design of the projects to developers.

The townspeople understand the need for low cost housing for young and old, but realize the seniors need to have separate facilities.

We are willing to pay to maintain control but would insist the town undergo an impartial examination of its activities to assure we really need what we currently pay for and that it be done efficiently. Rather than build for future generations, we prefer the future taxpayers pay for future expansions instead of guessing at what the future holds and running up a debt we will be unnecessarily saddled with.

Further, lots of data establishes that trouble and traffic are much less of a problem if smaller groups of low-cost units are sprinkled through the community, rather than creating large, concentrated low-cost developments. The large developments proposed are not appropriate.

To the point, all of us want to build affordable housing, but want to control its design and use. We are not interested in additional commercially-zoned areas. What we are witnessing is that our town government is unresponsive to its citizens' wishes, not in what needs to be done, but in the way to do it.

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To the Editor:

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success. I would like to thank you for your thoughtful and comprehensive coverage. It was an incredible day. The turnout was huge, and a great time was had by all. We had 550 men, women and children run or walk — a great leap forward from last year's paltry 350! Although we initially had thought we would take this race from town to town, the Mattapoisett experience has been so great that we will return again next year. Part of the reason we are staying is because news outlets like yours have done such a great job of publicizing what it is all about.

Thank you so much for the great story and pictures — we are looking forward to Mother's Day 2009 in Mattapoisett!

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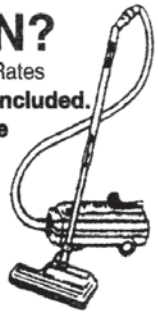

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To the Editor:

The Mattapoisett Scholarship and Education Fund Committee is pleased to announce three scholarship winners this year who are 2008 graduates of Old Rochester Regional High School:

• **Elizabeth Beatriz**, attending The University of Rochester;

• **Mackenzie Williamson**, attending The New School of Jazz and Contemporary Music; and

• **Kaneisha DeBurgoo**, attending The University of Massachusetts at Amherst.

The fund, established under Massachusetts General Laws (MGL), has been built and sustained by many small donations over the past eight years. In order for this fund to continue to be a resource for our college-bound youth, donations are urgently needed. This year three $500 awards were made.

Contribution forms are mailed each year with Excise Tax bills. However, residents can make fully tax-deductible donations at any time and are encouraged to consider ones given in memory or in honor of a special person.

With sincere appreciation to all who have contributed.

Sincerely,
Susan J. Zartman; Susan Hottel; Jane MacDonald;
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Mattapoisett Scholarship and Education Fund Committee

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Survival is more than a shared road to a stronger self. Our family found that Survival is a shared road to a stronger community. Thank you to everyone who helped to make our son's experience a positive, successful one. We are proud to be part of such an extraordinary and strong community.

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During the weekend of July 19-20 over 100 crafters and artisans will be set up in Shipyard Park (rain or shine) and booths are open from 9:30 am to 4:00 pm. On Friday, July 18 the seafood roll and chowder dinner will be held from 5:30 to 8:00 pm with the annual lobster fest on Saturday evening, July 19 from 5:30 to 8:00 pm. The annual pancake breakfast will be held Sunday morning, July 20 from 8:00 to 11:00 am. Luncheon foods and soft drinks will be available under the tent both Saturday and Sunday starting at 11:00 am and strawberry shortcake will be on sale all weekend while supplies last. All events are rain or shine except for the band concert on Wednesday evening.

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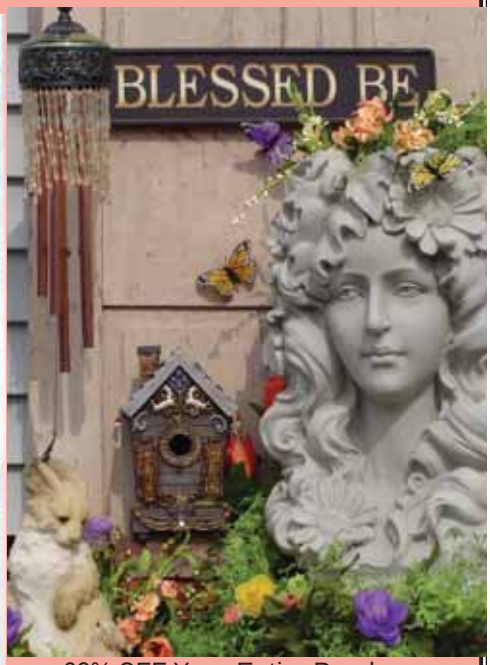

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ORR Summer Production

Elton John and Tim Rice's *Aida* comes to Old Rochester Regional High School on the weekend of July 24-27. The ORR Drama Club is thrilled to have alumni and current students involved in this summer production. *Aida* is a musical drama in two acts based on Giuseppe Verdi's Italian-language opera by the same name, and has won a Tony Award for Best Musical Score and a Grammy Award for Best Musical Show Album.

Aida stars Jillian Zucco ('11) as Amneris, Nathan Valente ('05) as Radames, Nicole Franklin ('05) as Aida, Aaron Valente ('07) as Mereb, Colin Butterfield ('07) as Zoser, Evan Berry ('06) as Pharaaoh, Martin Pasquill ('05) as Amonasro, Katie Hourihan ('07) as Nehebka. The chorus consists of 18 past and present students and there are 16 past and present students working as "techies" behind the scenes.

The ORR Drama Club is excited to have James Harkness choreographing the larger production numbers. Mr. Harkness' recent Broadway credits include *The Color Purple* (original cast), *Aida*, and the revival of *Dreamgirls*.

Direction, lighting, sets, specific musical staging and vocal direction are by Paul Sardinha. The costumes are by Helen Blake and orchestra direction is by Michael Amaral ('07). Assistant choreography is by Gary Vaughn ('02), second assistant choreography is by Melissa Rigby ('07), with stage managing by Kate Duglosinski ('05) and

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Tickets are $12 for adults and $8 for students and seniors. Tickets will be available at the Pen and Pendulum in Mattapoisett, the Marion General Store and the Plumb Corner Market in Rochester. Tickets will also be available at the door. ORR High School is located on Route 6 in Mattapoisett. For additional ticket information, please call 508-758-6762.

Rochester Land Trust

The Rochester Land Trust (RLT) recently received gifts for use on its preserves from Rochester residents.

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to be placed on the George E. and Katherine H. Church Wildlife Conservation Area on Marion Road. As he said: "people might get tired walking around … and they might want a place to sit." This beautiful bench is now placed on the area, overlooking the bogs. After the timber harvest that is planned for the property is complete, perhaps other locations for rest benches can be found. George was assisted moving the bench by Duffy Clapp. The RLT can't thank Mr. Church enough for such a beautiful creation, that is made more meaningful by the source of the wood and the love and care that went into its making.

The RLT also received a generous gift of two Barred Owl Houses from Anthony and Mary-Patrice Ruocco of High Street. These specially-sized natural rough pine boxes make excellent nesting and roosting spots for the large nocturnal raptors. Barred Owls are among the few owls that will take to a nesting box. The Trust wants to publicly thank the Ruocco's for their gift, which will be placed on two different properties.

If you are interested in joining the Rochester Land Trust or helping in any of its activities, or if you would like more information about making a monetary or land donation, please call president Russ Keeler at 508-763-9888.

Mattapoisett Exchange Students

International high school exchange students are coming to study in the Mattapoisett area during the 2008-2009 school year. These students will integrate themselves into a Mattapoisett area family with the goal of experiencing American culture as an American high school student does. In turn they will provide insight into their own culture.

The STS Foundation, a non-profit student exchange organization, is proud to help facilitate these relationships. They have been doing so for the past 20 years and look forward to finding new host families in Mattapoisett and connecting them with exchange students.

Students like Victor, who is a 16-year-old boy from Jaboticabal, Brazil. He enjoys playing soccer and tennis and he says he is very interested in learning about the American way of life. Rachel is a 17-year-old girl from

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Huizen, Netherlands who loves playing field hockey. She also enjoys cycling and photography and is excited to learn more about American culture. They are both excellent students and will have their own spending money and health insurance.

The host family provides a separate bed, family meals and a safe environment. If your family would be interested in being a host family, please call Area Representative Jay Sweet at 508-248-9198 or Lillian at 1-800-522-4678 or e-mail lillian@stsfoundation.org. You can also visit **www.stsfoundation.org**.

YMCA Annual Meeting

YMCA Southcoast held its 141st Annual Meeting

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at the Mattapoisett YMCA on June 11. Over 90 members, board members, staff and community members were in attendance.

In addition to highlights of 2007 being shared, Winston DeFreitas from the New Bedford YMCA was recognized as Employee of the Year for outstanding member service.

Executive Directors of each of the YMCA Southcoast branches also recognized key volunteers:

- Gleason Family Y in Wareham: Eleanor Mower;
- Fall River Y: George Papineau;
- Mattapoisett Y: J.P. Mathieu;
- New Bedford Y: Bob McDonald; and
- Dartmouth Y: Marylou Clarke.

Additionally Gary Schuyler, President and CEO of YMCA Southcoast, presented Connie Cesario from Citizens Union Savings Bank with the Outstanding Volunteer of the Year Award.

The following were voted in as officers of YMCA Southcoast at the meeting: Charles N. Decas, Chairman; Lawrence T. Wilson, First Vice Chairman; Margaret D. Xifaras, Second Vice Chairman; Dr. Brian K. Bowcock, Treasurer; and Robert R. Coykendall, Clerk. Susan Harrington and Nancy McFadden were also newly-elected to the YMCA Southcoast Board of Directors.

Rochester Reading Program

The Wild Reads Summer Reading Program at the

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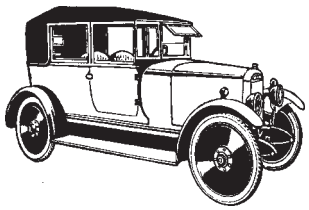

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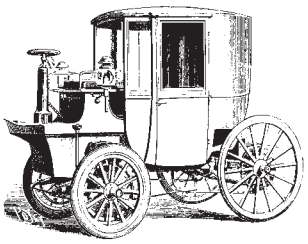

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The Quilts: Will be on display all afternoon. The **Shining Tides Quilting Guild**, established in 1991 by Laurie Despres, and The **Tender Loving Quilters**, a group within Shining Tides, will be demonstrating techniques for you to watch. Yes, some will be for sale along with other items provided by the Guild.

The "Chance"Quilt: The Guild will be offering chances to win a beautiful quilt! The drawing will take place at 5:00pm. You do not have to be present to win.

The Gardens: Tours of the grounds, gardens and woods will take place all day. Of course, the building is open for tours as well. Feel free to bring your camera and "snap" away!

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The reading program will start July 7, and ends on August 13 with the "Animal Adventures" party, featuring games, prizes, and Tony Baloney, balloon artist. There will be crafts on Wednesdays at 10:30 am starting on July 9. Debbie O'Carroll performs her "Amazing American Animals" magic show on Wednesday, July 16 at 3:30 pm, sponsored by the Rochester Cultural Council.

Wild Reads at the Plumb Library is funded by the Friends of the Plumb Library, the Massachusetts Board of Library Commissioners, and the Massachusetts Regional Library System. Gallop, run, jump, or fly in to the Plumb Library to sign up! For more information, please call **508-763-8600** or e-mail **info@plumblibrary.com**.

League of Women Voters

The League of Women Voters of Marion, Mattapoisett and Rochester will hold its Annual Meeting on Thursday, June 26 at 6:00 pm at The Kinsale Inn on Water Street in Mattapoisett. The speakers for the dinner program will be Dr. John Russell of the ORR and Marion School Committees, and Jane MacDonald, Assistant

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The Twelfth Annual Buzzards Bay Musicfest will be held in Marion from July 9 through July 13, 2008.

The Buzzards Bay Musicfest brings orchestral and chamber music performances to the acoustically-superb Fireman Performing Arts Center at Tabor Academy on Front Street in Marion. Admission is FREE and the performances are open to all.

Nationally-prominent musicians will perform under the direction of Maestro Russell Patterson, formerly of the Kansas City Orchestra and Lyric Opera. Orchestral performances will be held Wednesday, July 9 at 8:00 pm and Sunday, July 13 at 2:00 pm. Chamber music performances will be held Thursday, July 10 at 8:00 pm and Saturday, July 12 at 8:00 pm.

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The 2007 repertoire includes pieces by Fauve, Mozart, Brahms, Strauss, Bach, and others. Further information is available by contacting Jilline Fearons at 508-748-5165.

Rochester Reading Garden

The staff and Trustees of the Plumb Memorial Library in Rochester invite the public to the opening of "The Reading Garden," located on the library grounds. The opening will take place at 10:00 am on Saturday, June 28. The bronze sculpture and patio were generously funded by donations made in memory of Steven G. Santos by his friends and family. Approaching the garden area visitors are greeted by a sculpture gifted to the library by local artist Peter Gross. The gazebo plantings were donated by the Friends of the Plumb Library. The gazebo was originally constructed and donated to the library in 1998 by Rochester Eagle Scout David Santos (no relation). Refreshments will be served. For more information, please call 508-763-8600, or email **info@plumblibrary.com**.

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State Shellfish Testing

The Massachusetts Department of Public Health (DPH) recently announced plans to conduct precautionary market testing of shellfish harvested from marine waters potentially impacted by red tide.

The testing will be done on surf clams and ocean quahogs harvested from federally designated waters off the coast of Massachusetts. Testing of shellfish in state coastal waters is routinely conducted by the Massachusetts Division of Marine Fisheries (DMF), but shellfish caught in federal waters is not.

This year scientists are predicting an abundance of the plankton that is responsible for producing a toxin dangerous to humans if consumed. Exposure to the toxin can result in paralytic shellfish poisoning, or PSP, which can cause a potentially debilitating and fatal disease if a person eats shellfish contaminated with the toxin. It is important to identify shellfish that is contaminated and remove it from sale, because PSP toxin can survive the normal cooking process.

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Harvesting regulations for shellfish are strictly enforced during periods of red tide. State coastal waters are monitored by DMF and are closed to shellfish harvesting when testing indicates an unsafe level of toxins. Open federal waters are not routinely monitored for PSP.

Due to increasing levels of PSP toxin, DMF has closed shellfish beds in the Nauset Estuarine system in Eastham and Orleans and in waters from New Hampshire to the Bourne-Sandwich line near the east end of the Cape Cod Canal, with the exception of the Plymouth-Kingston-Duxbury Bay complex. DPH continues to work closely with DMF in monitoring state coastal waters.

Retail stores and restaurants are required to maintain shellfish source identification tags for up to 90-days as required by state regulations. The DPH Food Protection Program and local boards of health are advising commercial food establishments and seafood distributors to closely verify that their shellfish are coming from approved sources.

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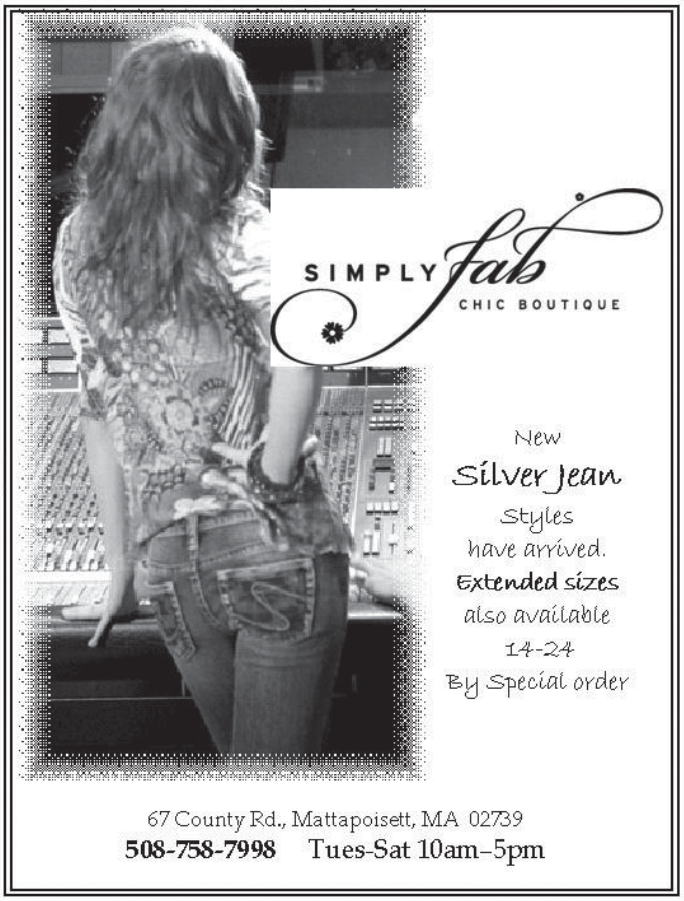
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Mattapoisett Track Club

Summer's coming and that means that it's time for the return of the Mattapoisett Track Club. The new track season will begin on Monday, June 23 at Old Rochester Regional High School. Employees will be at the track at 5:00 pm that night for registration before practice, but you may register on any night of the track season. The club will be "running" every Monday and Wednesday night from June 23 until August 13 between the hours of 6:00 pm and 8:00 pm. Three ribboned track meets are scheduled during the season. Membership fee is $40 per person. The Mattapoisett Track Club is open to children from the ages of 3 and older, regardless of town residence. Summer residents are also welcome.

Marion Summer Concert

The Marion Police Brotherhood is currently conducting a local fund-raising campaign. Townspeople and area businesses are being contacted for contributions for this excellent cause. As a thank you, everyone who helps will receive a complimentary ticket to this year's summer event featuring *Fleetwood Dreams: A Tribute to Fleetwood Mac* on Saturday, July 12 at 8:00 pm at Silvershell Beach. Proceeds will go towards Christmas baskets for the

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Mattapoisett Book Sale

It's time again to clear off your shelves and donate your books to the Friends of the Mattapoisett Library for their annual book sale. Good quality hardcovers, paperbacks, audio books, compact discs, video tapes and puzzles are needed. Please, no periodicals, encyclopedias, textbooks or moldy tomes. You can leave your donations at Eastern Bank, Mayhew's Valet Cleaners or Shepley Financial Services, all along Route 6 in Mattapoisett. The sale will be held at Reynard Hall of the Mattapoisett Congregational Church on Church Street from 9:00 am until 6:00 pm on July 16 and 17, and from 9:00 am until 12:00 noon on July 18.

Elizabeth Taber Library

Summer Programs

On Monday, June 23 at 2:00 pm, the Elizabeth Taber Library in Marion kicks off its summer program, "On ship to shore, let's read more!" with an Ice Cream Sundae Social for the whole family. Everyone who "shore'ly plans to read this summer is invited to make their own sundae and hear about great reading activities (for adult as well as children) available at the library this

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On Tuesday, June 24 at 12:30 pm, Lunch Bunch I begins at the Elizabeth Taber Library. Children ages 7-10 can bring lunch and a drink (dessert supplied) and listen as they begin reading aloud *The Green Book* by Jill Paton Walsh. It is a science fiction story of space travel, survival, and brave new worlds. Please contact the library to join this group.

On Wednesday, June 25 at 10:15 am Summer Storytime for 2-4 year olds (accompanied by enthusiastic adult companions) begins. No sign-up is required ... just come and enjoy!

On Thursday, June 26 at 12:30 pm, Lunch Bunch II begins. Children ages 5-7 can bring lunch and a drink (dessert supplied) and listen to stories of dragons and other "monsters" being read aloud. Please contact the library to join this group.

Reading Games

Pre-readers can help fill the library's "aquarium" by coloring and adding a fish each time they visit the library. Independent readers going into Grades 2-7 and/or family groups reading together can "fish" for a good cause through the generosity of Lockheed Martin/Sippican, Inc. Learn more about the program on the library website or at the library.

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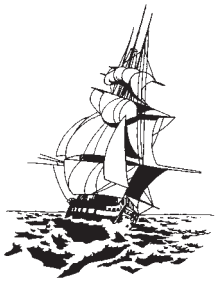

traveling program, on Monday, July 7 at 2:00 pm. This event is for children ages 7 and up and is funded with a donation from the Nadler Family Trust.

Big Ryan

Enjoy storytelling, music, puppets and interactive play with Big Ryan on Monday, July 14 at 2:00 pm. This program is for ages 3 and up.

Pet Show

Adults, children and pets can join the library for their Pet Show on Monday, July 21 at 3:00 pm (rain date: Monday, July 28 at 3:00 pm). Registration begins July 1.

More Magic

Steve Rudolph will delight ages 4 to adult with his magic on Tuesday, August 5 at 2:00 pm. This performance is made possible in part by the Marion Cultural Council, a local agency which is supported by the Massachusetts Cultural Council, a state agency.

The Elizabeth Taber Library is located at 8 Spring Street in Marion. For more information, please call the library at 508-748-1352, check their website at **www.sailsinc.org/marion**, or e-mail Marsha Rehkamp, Children's Librarian, at **mrehkamp@sailsinc.org**.

Mattapoisett Democratic Committee

Members of the Mattapoisett Democratic Town Committee, seeking to call attention to the escalating costs in lives and resources associated with the war in Iraq, invite area residents to join them in "Taking a Stand Against

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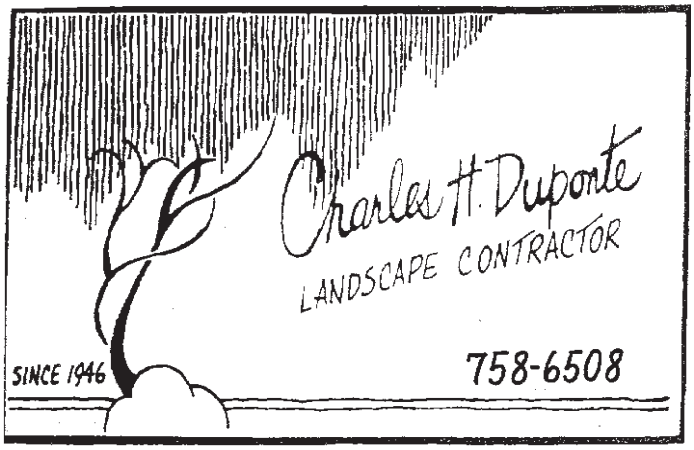

the War in Iraq." The visibility will be at the intersection of Route 6 and North Street on the first weekend of every month, Friday evenings from 4:30 to 6:00 pm and Saturday mornings from 9:00 to 10:30 am.

Committee Chairman Bev Baccelli notes, "This is not a protest or a demonstration, but an opportunity to express our frustration and concern for the future of our country — and our children's futures. We're concerned about the American and Iraqi lives being lost and the diversion of critical resources to an 'endless war.' We're angry about the money not available for education, affordable health care, veterans' benefits and crumbling roads and bridges. We're concerned about the mounting numbers of American families falling below the poverty line and the difficulty of middle class Americans trying to hold onto their jobs, their homes and their way of life."

Everyone is welcome. Please bring a sign and a friend. For further information, please contact Bev Baccelli at 508-758-9343 or **bevbaccelli@comcast.net**.

Marion Ambulance Billing

The Marion Board of Selectmen has scheduled a public hearing to be held at the Music Hall, 164 Front Street, on Tuesday, June 24 at 7:00 pm. The purpose of the hearing is to report to the townspeople on the ambulance billing policy. Time will be allotted for comments and questions.

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Mattapoisett History Lecture

As many may know, the Mattapoisett Historical Society is videotaping Seth Mendell's lectures on Mattapoisett history as part of the Society's 50th anniversary celebration. The filming sessions, conducted by Don Cuddy, are open to the public. The second lecture will take place on Thursday evening, June 19 at 7:30 pm at the Purrington House, 36 Main Street in Mattapoisett, not at the museum as the summer exhibit is being set up.

Summer Teen Dances

The Mattapoisett Track Club is sponsoring Teen Dances on the Holmes Wharf in Mattapoisett on Thursday nights between the hours of 7:30 and 10:30 pm. The first dance will be held on June 19. *Admission to these dances is limited to junior high and senior high school students who are residents of the tri-town area. School ID must be presented.* No one will be admitted to these dances after 9:00 pm. Admission fee will be $5.

Teens attending summer dances will be asked to abide by a code of conduct as follows: No backpacks and purses will be allowed into the dance area. Chained wallets are to be removed. No rough play or mosh dancing on the wharf is allowed. Parents are asked to pick up their children promptly at the conclusion of the dance and proceed one way along Water Street in an easterly direction (toward the town beach). People walking from the dance are reminded to be courteous of village residents. Police details, paid for by the Mattapoisett Track Club, will be patrolling the village following the dance. The Mattapoisett Track Club and its employees are not responsible for lost or stolen items.

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Cemetery Walk 'n' Talk

On Sunday afternoon, June 22 at 2:00 pm, the Mattapoisett Historical Society will offer another in its series of Mattapoisett cemetery talks. This particular session will offer a unique opportunity to learn about the history of the Quakers in this area as they visit the Friends Meeting House on Route 6 and hear its history from Priscilla and Brad Hathaway. In addition to the talk in the Meeting House, the group will also visit the small cemetery located behind the Meeting House. This program is open to the public as are all Historical Society programs.

Mattapoisett Council on Aging

The Mattapoisett Social and Wellness Center, the location of the Mattapoisett Council on Aging is located at the Center School in Mattapoisett. Enter at the main entrance; parking is located across the street near the church carriage shed or in the school lot. The Center is open Monday through Friday, 9:00 am to 3:00 pm.

Please be reminded that with the Mattapoisett Council on Aging, as with all Councils on Aging, any and all are welcome to participate in activities or utilize services. The Mattapoisett Council on Aging works regularly with a vibrant group of individuals who are always willing to welcome a new face. Please call them at 508-758-4110 if you are interested in receiving our bimonthly newsletter or, if you wish to learn more about our services.

Weekly Schedule

• Thursday, June 19 – 9:30 Public Health Nurse; 9:30 Bridge; 1:00 Crafters Circle; 1:00 Art Class;

• Friday, June 20 – 8:30 Shaw's; 9:30 Weight

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• Monday, June 23 – 8:00 Water Aerobics; 9:00 SHINE; 10:00 Garden Club; 12:00 Fitness with Karen; 1:00 Fairhaven Marts; 1:00 Scrabble;

• Tuesday, June 24 – 8:30 Stop and Shop; 9:00 Art Class; 9:30 Public Health Nurse; 10:30 Tedeschi's; 2:00 Weight Training;

• Wednesday, June 25 – 8:00 Water Aerobics; 8:30 Yoga; 12:00 Fitness with Karen; 1:30-3:30 Bingo;

• Thursday, June 26 – 9:30 Public Health Nurse; 9:30 Bridge; 12:00 Welcome Summer Luncheon;

• Friday, June 27 – 8:00 Shaw's; 9:30 Weight Training; 10:30 Post Office / Library.

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• *The Nutcracker*, Saturday December 6. We have discounted tickets for the 7:30 show at The Wang in Boston. We have Section C Mezzanine seating. The ticket and van ride is only $50. We have a limited number of tickets so plan early.

• Expanded Shuttle Service: Added to our weekly trips, on Tuesday at 10:30 we will go to the new location of Tedeschi's and on Fridays at 10:30 we will go to the Post Office and the Library. Call us a business day prior to arrange transportation. Van donation $1 per ride.

• Gardens and Quilts, presented by Island Terrace Nursing Home, on Sunday, June 22. Celebrate summer at Island Terrace and enjoy their beautiful gardens, spectacular scenery, tempting desserts and a wonderful display of quilts by Shining Tides Quilting Guild and Tender Loving Quilters. There will be a "Chance" quilt along with items for sale.

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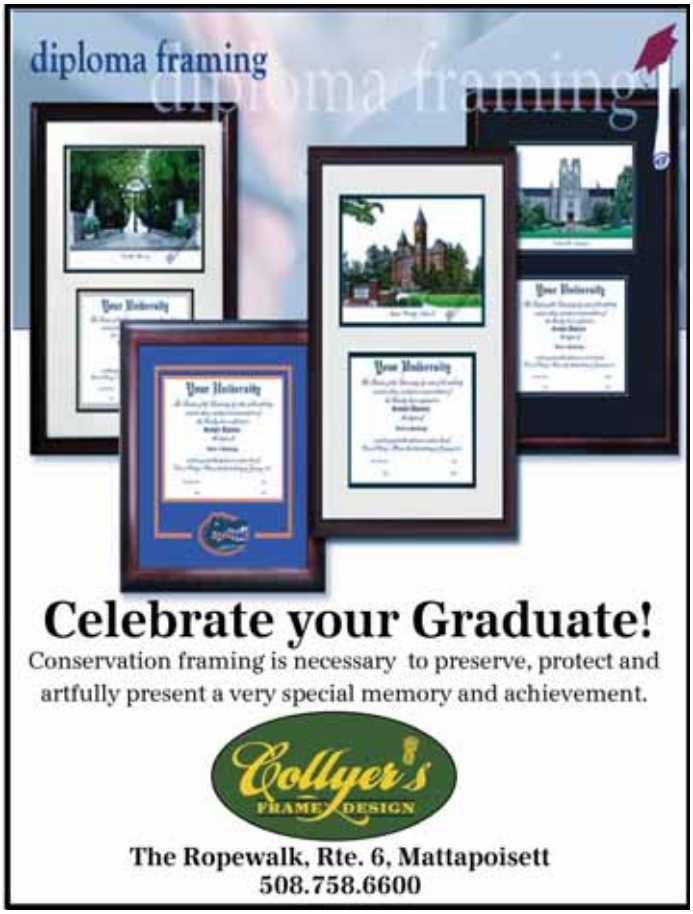

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• Plymouth County Sheriff's Department on July 11 starting at 10:00 am. Come learn about what the Sheriff's Department can do for you … Picture ID's, 911 Cell Phones and many more services. Bring your questions! Call the COA and let us know if you plan to attend.

• Mattapoisett Woman's Garden Tour on Saturday July 12 from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. Transportation is available to tour the gardens. Van will pick-up at homes prior to 10AM. Van stops at Mattapoisett Inn for organized lunch if requested. Van donation $7. Sign up early as this is contingent upon enough response.

• Free Legal Consultations: Suprenant and Benski, P.C. is available for a free consult on Monday, July 14 from 9:00 to 10:00 am. Appointment required, sign up with the COA today.

• Mystery Lunch – Join the COA on July 17 at 12:00 noon for a Mystery Lunch! Call to sign up for this, always a good time, lunch!

• *Pawtucket Red Sox vs. Charlotte Knights* (Chicago White Sox) on Sunday August 10. Admission $10, Van $5 leaves at 11:00 am. The first 3,000 women to arrive at the game will receive a Pawsox T-Shirt. Join us for a fun

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Mattapoisett Lions Club

The Mattapoisett Lions Club is gearing up for their annual Harbor Days events. The Lions Club is known for its annual Harbor Days in Shipyard Park overlooking the Mattapoisett Harbor. The week-long series of events starts with the Triathlon on Sunday, July 13 at 8:00 am at the Mattapoisett Town Beach (register at **www.jbrace.com**) and includes sale of strawberry shortcake at the band concert on Wednesday, July 16 from 7:00 to 9:00 pm and a full weekend of food, fun and live entertainment.

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ers and artisans will be set up in Shipyard Park (rain or shine) and booths are open 9:30 am to 4:00 pm. On Friday, July 18 the seafood roll and chowder dinner will be held from 5:30 to 8:00 pm with the annual Lobster Fest on Saturday evening, July 19 from 5:30 to 8:00 pm. The annual panckake breakfast will be held Sunday morning, July 20 from 8:00 to 11:00 am. Luncheon foods and soft drinks will be available under the tent both Saturday and Sunday starting at 11:00 am and strawberry shortcake will be on sale all weekend while supplies last. All events are rain or shine except for the band concert on Wednesday evening.

The culmination of Harbor Days is at 3:45 pm on Sunday, July 20 as the winners of the Lions Club raffle and silent auction are announced. Raffle ticket prizes include a 50-inch widescreen plasma TV, a $1,000 travel certificate, two Red Sox tickets, and Garmin GPS. Raffle tickets will be available at the Harbor Days or can be purchased by calling 508-758-9841.

Those interested in finding out more about becoming a Lion Club member and what Lionism is all about can call King Lion Steve at 508-758-9268, Joe at 508-763-8707, or Helene at 508-758-9841.

Rochester Master Plan

A group of interested citizens has completed an updated Master Plan with guidance from a MasterPlan Steering Committee and the Town Planner. As specified in Mass General Law, this update includes ideas and direction for Land Use, Governance, Municipal Services, Open Space, Housing and much more. It's the blueprint to guide all change in Rochester over the next few years, or until the plan is revised again.

The updated Master Plan is on the web (**www.townofrochestermass.com**) by clicking on "MASTERPLAN" In the menu column on the left. It's also available in hard copy from the Town Hall Annex.

Although the fundamentals are little changed from the Master Plan dated in the year 2000, some of the issues may be more urgent resulting in expanded implementation ideas. In addition, the Master Plan includes a lot of factual material as well, which makes it a good "read."

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The Planning Board has scheduled a hearing for June 24 in preparation for acceptance of this Master Plan. Please come to the Town Hall at 7:45 pm on Tuesday, June 24, but please share your thoughts, critique and suggestions at any time up to and including the formal hearing date.

Homes for Our Troops

The Ponderosa will host a Motorcycle Bike Run on Sunday, June 29 to benefit a very worthy cause — to raise money to build specially-adapted homes for our severely wounded veterans returning from the War on Terror through the efforts of the Taunton based non-profit organization, "Homes for Our Troops."

This rain or shine event will start and finish at The Ponderosa located on Route 105 at the Acushnet/Rochester Line. Registration will take place at 11:00 am with donations of $10 per person. The ride begins at 12:00 noon and will immediately head towards Plumb Corner Mall where there will be a Patriotic Community gathering of all those not participating in the bike run, but would like to show their spirit and appreciation of both the Veterans and civilians participating in the ride to raise money for Homes for Our Troops.

The run will continue its two-and-a-half hour ride through the country with a stop at the Freetown VFW before returning to the Ponderosa for food, entertainment and raffles. Homes for Our Troops t-shirts will be available for $15 each at the Bike Run as well as at Bev-Loves-Books prior to the day of the event.

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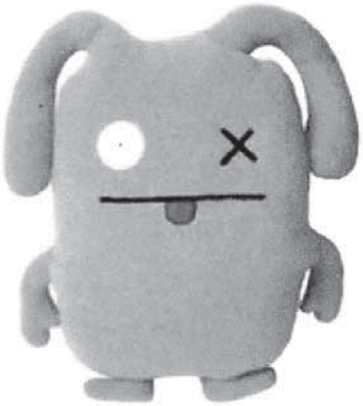

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Fairhaven Farmer's Market

The Fairhaven Farmers Market will be starting on Sunday, June 22. The market will run from 1:00 to 4:00 pm every Sunday on the corner on Main Street and Route 6 on the lawn of Fairhaven High School. The market was started by the Fairhaven Sustainability Committee to support local farmers, food and products. The committee recently received a United Way Mini Grant to promote the new market.

There is a website for the market at **www.green-fairhaven.com.** For more information please contact Ann Richard 508-991-8315.

Mattapoisett Road Race

A great way to celebrate Independence Day by running the 38th Annual Mattapoisett Road Race! This five-mile race begins at 9:00 am on Friday, July 4, 2008. It has been chosen as one of New England's top 75 races by *New England Runner*. The mostly-shaded course winds through the picturesque village of Mattapoisett, along the historic waterfront, around fabled Ned's Point Lighthouse and back to Shipyard Park.

All proceeds from the race are awarded to graduating seniors from ORR High School who are runners. Last year's recipients were: Taylor Crowley, Jacob Hiller, Kayla Krause, Alex Maag, Kyle MacDonald, Nicholas Martin, Lindsey Pelissier, Stephanie Reusch, Tiffany Rozenas, and Grace Trow. Runners can register online at **www.signmeup.com**. Additional information regarding the race may be found at **www.mattapoisettroadrace.com**.

Vet of the Year

The Board of Directors of the Southeastern Massachusetts Veterans Housing Program, Inc., which operates the Veterans Transition House programs, annually selects a veteran from the area who has made an outstanding contribution to veterans, veterans' issues, or the community as a whole.

The board is currently soliciting nominations for the 2008 Veteran of the Year Award. If you are aware of a veteran you would like to nominate for this award,

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please visit the VTH website at **www.vetshouse.org** to download the nomination form. Completed forms should be mailed to the attention of the Board of Directors at the VTH, 20 Willis Street, New Bedford, MA. Forms may also be obtained by contacting James Reid, Executive Director of the Veterans Transition House at 508-992-5313, extension 11 or by e-mailing **jim@vetshouse.org**. The deadline for nominations is 4:00 pm on July 15, 2008.

This year's award will be the tenth annual award given to a regional veteran for contributions to veterans and the community. Last year's recipient was James R. Leal, a Korean War veteran who was awarded the Bronze Star for bravery during action on Pork Chop Hill as a member of the United States Army Medical Services, Co. K 17th Infantry Reg., 7th Infantry Division.

The 2008 Veteran of the Year Award will be presented during a ceremony and banquet at the Century House in Acushnet on the evening of November 6, 2008.

Mattapoisett Women's Club

The call of Mattapoisett's sunbaked beaches, propagative salt marshes, and lush green fields give rise to one of the area's best kept secrets — the outstanding backyard gardens. Shades of blue and gold intermingle with blushes of cherry pink flowers and they all come together forming their riot of glory during the month of July. Local folks scoop it up with barely a thought, as if; robust colors and beautiful gardens were simply a Mattapoisett birthright.

Well, travelers too, can share in the bounty as the Mattapoisett Women's Club invites residents and visitors to pull up their oars and meander among some of the town's top choice garden destinations. The "Tellurian Garden Safari" presented by the Mattapoisett's Women Club includes: Seaside gardens, suburban gardens and village gardens consisting of everything from vegetables for a better "carbon footprint," to gardens with daylilies, ground cover, grasses, perennial plantings, to new varieties of shrubs and trees that give interest to a corner lot in the village.

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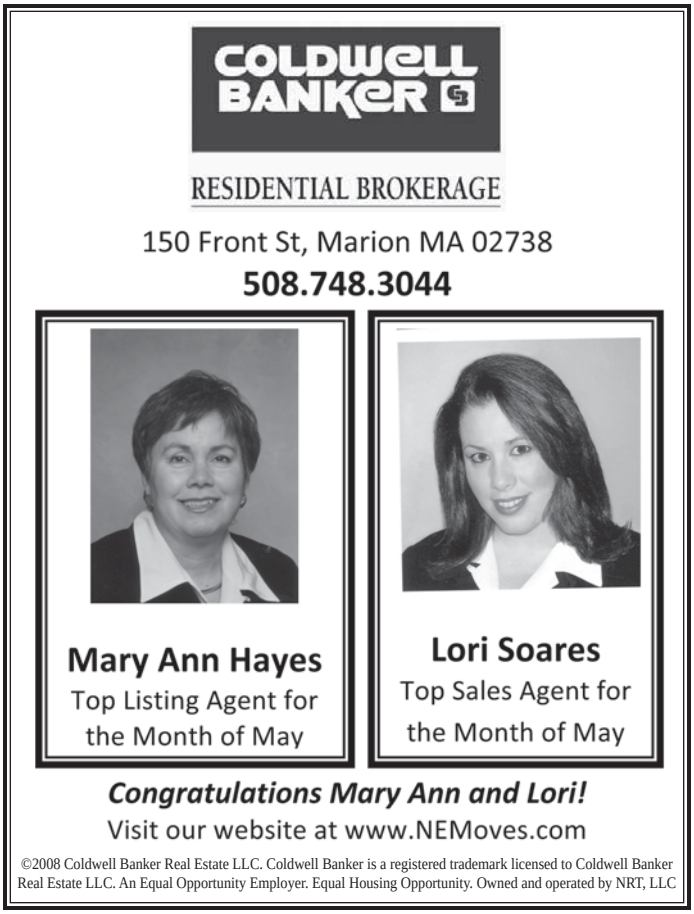

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The Women's Club invites everyone to join them on an adventurous trek through the "Tellurian Gardens" of Mattapoisett on July 12, 2008 from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm, rain or shine. Tickets with maps are available at several convenient locations: Cathay Temple Restaurant, 24 County Road, Mattapoisett; Pen and Pendulum, 67 County Road, Mattapoisett; Seaport Village Ice Cream and Coffee, 32 County Road, Mattapoisett; The Bookstall, 151 Front Street, Mattapoisett; and Periwinkles, 270 Huttleston Avenue, Fairhaven. Advance ticket purchase: $12 per person. The Safari Plus (includes lunch at the nation's oldest seaside inn, the Kinsale Inn) is $27 per person.

Marion Horse Show

Members of the Marion Fourth of July Horse Show Committee have been busy organizing for the upcoming 2008 event to be held at Washburn Park on Friday, July 4 at 8:00 am. The Streetside Cafe in Middleboro will be at the refreshment stand with great food for everyone! There will be Pony Rides for the children to enjoy starting around 11:00 am. They will also be hosting a Chinese Auction and are looking for donations of products, toys, gift certficates, or possibly an item that you would like to showcase. This is a great opportunity to bring a new client to your store or barn, all while contributing to the participants' enjoyment of this special event.

Anyone interested in making a monetary donation should please mail them to: Marion Fourth of July Horse Show, P.O. Box 93, Marion, MA 02738. Anyone interested in donating a raffle item, volunteering in anyway or seeking more information regarding the event should contact Donna at 508-763-4375, Barbie at 508-944-7869, or e-mail **marion4thatcomcast.net.** All donations are greatly appreciated!

Arts in the Park

The Marion Art Center will present the second annual "Arts in the Park" on Saturday, July 12 from

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Deaths

Stephanie L. (Grassi) Thompson, 47, of Marion passed away June 6, 2008 at home, after a brief illness. She was the best friend and beloved wife of Michael G. Thompson. Born in Wareham, the daughter of Arego A. Rick and Betsy C. (Dorr) Grassi, she lived in Marion most of her life.

In her youth, Stephanie was an avid and accomplished gymnast; later, competing and coaching, she led the Tabor Academy Summer Gymnastic Program for over ten years. She coached various high school teams in the area; also known for her track skills, winning several local events and running in the Boston Marathon. Academically, Stephanie, was the recipient of the Harvard Book award and class valedictorian of her graduating class at Old Rochester Regional High School. Earning her B.S. undergraduate degree from Boston University; she then excelled in her studies at the former Kinyon Campbell Business School before continuing with a M.S. (Exercise Science) from Bridgewater State College; returning to Boston University as a Doctoral Candidate.

Stephanie has been teaching at Plymouth North High School for twenty years, coaching many athletic programs as well as being involved in many other activities such as the mentoring peer programs.

For the past five years, Stephanie has enjoyed her association with Jack Conway as a part-time realtor at the Mattapoisett branch office.

Above all, Stephanie most enjoyed spending time with her husband and their three Afghan Hounds, Jabukka, Isabelle, and Molly camping and going for rides. She will be dearly missed by many.

Survivors include her husband of over 20 years, having recently renewed their wedding vows; her parents; a brother, Alan A. Grassi, his wife Mary, of Houston, TX and his children, Kelly and Alan D. Grassi; many aunts, uncles and cousins. Stephanie was very close to her in-laws, Tuddie and Joe Morse, Donna Lee Tufts and her husband Peter C. Tufts.

A Celebration of Life Memorial Service will be held at Wickenden Chapel, Tabor Academy, Spring Street in Marion on June 24, 2008 at 10:00 AM. Arrangements are with the Saunders-Dwyer Mattapoisett Home for Funerals, 50 County Road (Route 6), Mattapoisett.

In lieu of flowers, remembrances may be made to either of the following organizations: Southcoast Home Care, Hospice and Palliative Care and Infusion Services, 28 Sconticut Road, Fairhaven, MA 02719 (508-984-0200 for questions) or World Wildlife Organization (www.worldwildlife.org) For directions and guestbook, please visit www.saundersdwyer.com.

David Kenneth Whalley, 61, of Rochester, died unexpectedly at home on Thursday, June 12, 2008. Born in Acushnet, he was the son of the late Kenneth F. and Leocadia (Tomkiewicz) Whalley.

He was the president of the 1964 graduating class at New Bedford High School; he attended Brown University and the University of Tulsa Dave worked for Nelson Electric in Tulsa, Oklahoma as Product Manager. He was the owner of Brooklands Motor in Marion and has worked as a service/parts manager for local auto dealers. He was a classic car restorer.

He was a member of the Greater New Bedford Vocational Advisory Board, coached Mariner Youth Soccer, was a Volunteer Firefighter in Rochester, MA, and was a member of the Sippican Rod and Gun Club.

Survivors include his sons, Thomas J. Whalley and Jonathan D. Whalley, both of New Bedford; and a daughter, Anna K. Whalley of Rochester; his former wife, Marilyn (Green) Whalley of Marion; a sister, Katherine S. Ulrich and her husband, Jerald of New Bedford; and several cousins.

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Marion Natural History Museum

Join the Marion Natural History Museum for a great summer near the water! They offer two opportunities for you to get your kids outside this summer. The program Life Along the Shore is for students entering Grades 1 and 2. This program will find participants seining the shore and exploring the plants and animals that live in the area's many coastal habitats. With the use of games, journals and introductory science techniques, this will be a wonderful first look at life in our coastal environment. Dates are from July 7 through the July 18 and again August 4-15.

The second program is Watershed Discovery for students entering Grades 3 and 4. With the use of microscopes, field guides and other equipment they will explore the unique features and health of riverbanks, swamps, ponds, bogs and marshes during this in-depth investigation of the area's water resources. Date for this program is July 7 through the July 18. The cost for each

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MOVIE REVIEW

Mean and Green

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***The Incredible Hulk*. Starring Edward Norton and Liv Tyler. Directed by Louis Leterrier. Running time: 114 minutes. MPAA rating: PG-13.**

The best parts of *The Incredible Hulk* unfold in Brazil, where the fugitive Bruce Banner (Edward Norton) keeps a low profile, keeps his pulse rate even lower, and is overqualified for his day-labor gig at a soda-bottling factory. Bruce even has a personal trainer, who instructs him to breathe out his anger from his abdomen. He seems to lead a livable, if grungily modest, life here; the sequence was actually shot in Rio de Janeiro, so it has a bustling authenticity, with the buildings piled high and the people densely packed in the streets. It's a credible hiding place for a scientist who turns into a gigantic green creature of rage when something upsets him. The city must calm him down, too, since we're told he's gone well over a hundred days without an "incident."

Most of the film's remainder was shot in Canada, where it gives itself over to anonymous backdrops in front of which computer-generated mayhem will be inserted later. *The Incredible Hulk*, as you may have heard, is a stripped-down-for-action reboot of this franchise, which got off to an idiosyncratic and unpopular start with Ang Lee's 2003 *Hulk*. I found the Lee film fascinating and unstable, a psychologically thick meditation on repression and daddy-hatred. Many fans would've settled for more "Hulk smash," and in the new film they get it. Directed by Louis Leterrier, who got into similar territory with Jet Li in *Unleashed* (*Danny the Dog* overseas), *The Incredible Hulk* has a more interesting and committed cast than its predecessor. Norton, Liv Tyler, William Hurt, Tim Roth: in just about every case this is an acting upgrade.

Yet we see the writing on the wall here: this is the second Marvel Comics movie adaptation actually to be produced by Marvel, after *Iron Man*, and both films pack exactly as much personality as their actors bring with them, and eventually collapse into CGI footage of behemoths pounding each other. *The Incredible Hulk* goes farther than *Iron Man*, which at least gave us several scenes of Robert Downey Jr. and Jeff Bridges parrying verbally before they climbed into their respective battle suits; here, I don't recall Edward Norton and Tim Roth acting opposite each other at all. Roth plays Emil Blonsky, a hard-bitten soldier hired by the Hulk's nemesis General Ross (Hurt) to find and capture Bruce before he hulks out. Looking as though he's still carrying some resentment from being so brutally mishandled in *Funny Games*, Roth moves through the film like a bullet, keeping Blonsky away from stock evil and grounded in a simple desire to fight one last great fight before his body gives out.

As usual, Norton expresses a furtive intelligence; whatever backstage drama he allegedly caused was worth it. He sells decency effortlessly, as when Bruce sees a female bottling-plant coworker cringing under the unwanted attention of a lout, almost walks away — afraid that the guy will start a fight and trigger a hulk-out — and then goes in to rescue her anyway. Norton also brings out the best in the usually uneven Liv Tyler, as Bruce's true love Betty Ross (the general's daughter). Tyler plays a lovely scene with the Hulk, in a cave under a thunderstorm; the way she advises him to watch his head when he ducks into the cave has a surreal tenderness. It's a fine, moody sequence that just about outdoes the overwrought entirety of Peter Jackson's *King Kong*.

The movie is fun enough, and it satisfied me as a lifelong Hulk fan (there are many in-jokes to tickle the fans, from a Bill Bixby cameo on a TV to Bruce looking askance at an oversized pair of purple pants). I think I prefer the Ang Lee version, which took the premise to bizarre and unexpected places; Lee, rather quixotically, tried to make art out of it — he didn't quite realize he was supposed to make a commercial for Hulk toys. Louis Laterrier is more of an action man, and when Blonsky becomes a dark mirror on the Hulk — the Abomination — the vehicles fly up in the air and fireballs chase pedestrians up and down the streets of New York. It's a comic book writ large, all right. But I still wished I could see more of Bruce in the Hulk and vice versa, more of Edward Norton beneath the CGI. Maybe next time.

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Sex and the City (R) – 12:35, 4:05, 7:05, 9:55
The Strangers (R) – 7:10, 9:15
Indiana Jones and the Kingdom of the Crystal Skull (PG13) – 12:30, 4:25, 7:00, 9:40
Chronicles of Narnia: Prince Caspian (PG13) – 12:50, 4:15
Iron Man (PG13) – 7:00, 9:35

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You Don't Mess With the Zohan (PG13) – 1:10, 4:15, 7:15, 9:45
The Happening (R) – 1:20, 4:10, 7:20, 9:25
The Incredible Hulk (PG13) – 1:15, 4:05, 7:00, 9:35
Chronicles of Narnia: Prince Caspian (PG13) – 12:45, 3:45
Sex and the City (R) – 6:40, 9:30
Indiana Jones and the Kingdom of the Crystal Skull (PG13) – 12:55, 6:45
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Watch for more news on the upcoming August 14 Seniors' Picnic. They will be raffling off two wonderful baskets filled with goodies.

St. Philip's Church - Mattapoisett

Following is the 2008 Summer Schedule of services at St. Philip's Episcopal Church in Mattapoisett. The 1928 Book of Common Prayer Services will take place at 8:00 am and 10:00 am.

• Sunday, June 29 – Reverend Bruce Benshoff, Retired Rector, Church of Our Savior, Middleboro;
• Sunday, July 6 – Reverend Benjamin King, Chaplain, Episcopal Chaplaincy at Harvard University;
• Sunday, July 13 – Reverend Bruce Benshoff, Retired Rector;
• Sunday, July 20 – Reverend Robert Malm, Rector, Grace Church, Alexandria, VA;
• Sunday, July 27 – Reverend Robert Malm, Rector;
• Sunday, August 3 – Reverend Philip C. Jacobs III, Trinity Church, Canton, MA;
• Sunday, August 10 – Reverend Philip C. Jacobs III;
• Sunday, August 17 – Reverend Philip C. Jacobs III;
• Sunday, August 26 – Reverend Jeffrey Cave, Priest Associate, Church of Our Savior, Atlanta, GA;
• Sunday, August 31 – Reverend Jeffrey Cave.

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Tri-Town Police Logs

MARION

Log highlights June 8 through June 14, 2008:

• Point Road – adult arrest (operating with revoked license, protective custody, license not in possession)
• Wareham Road – motor vehicle complaint
• Wells Road – found property
• Wareham Road – disturbance
• Route 195 East – motor vehicle accident/property damage
• Rogers Drive – motor vehicle accident/property damage
• Route 195 West – assist other police department
• County Road – suspicious person
• Quail's Crossing Road – missing person
• West Avenue – noise complaint
• Front Street – larceny/past
• Spring Street – adult arrest (default warrant)
• Point Road – vandalism/past
• Cranberry Highway – suspicious motor vehicle
• Wareham Road – vandalism/past
• Point Road – vandalism/past
• Delano Road – vandalism/past
• Silver Shell Beach – motor vehicle accident/property damage/adult arrest (operating under the influence of liquor)
• Washburn Park Road – larceny/past
• Spring Street – family offense.

MATTAPOISETT

Log highlights June 8 through June 14, 2008:

• Acushnet Road – mutual aid/police
• Randall Road – animal complaint
• Old Brandt Island Road – officer wanted
• Town Landing – suspicious person
• Aucoot Road – parking complaint
• Mattapoisett Neck Road – vandalism
• County Road – suspicious motor vehicle
• Route 195 West – motor vehicle accident
• County Road – property returned
• Water Street – suspicious persons
• Randall Lane – vandalism
• Marion Road – civil complaint
• Long Plain Road – suspicious motor vehicle
• Holly Woods Road – structure fire
• Fairhaven Road – erratic operation of motor vehicle
• Industrial Drive – suspicious motor vehicle
• Main Street – breaking and entering into structure
• Park Place – domestic disturbance
• Acushnet Road – vandalism
• Marion Road – motor vehicle accident
• Water Street – suspicious motor vehicle
• Marion Road – vandalism
• North Road – disturbance
• Route 6 – suspicious motor vehicle.

ROCHESTER

Log highlights June 9 through June 17, 2008:

• Neck Road – animal complaint
• Marion Road – traffic hazard
• Rounseville Road – assist other agency
• Old Schoolhouse Road – animal complaint
• North Avenue – suspicious motor vehicle/adult arrest (trespssing, disorderly conduct)
• Perry's Lane – civil complaint
• Pierce Street – property found/lost/recovered
• Walnut Plain Road – animal complaint
• Hartley Road – motor vehicle accident/hit and run/property damage
• Gerrish Road – fire
• North Avenue – suspicious motor vehicle
• Dexter Lane – civil complaint
• Cranberry Highway – larceny/forgery/fraud
• Alley Road – traffic hazard
• Boxberry Lane – suspicious motor vehicle
• New Bedford Road – suspicious activity
• Sarah Sherman Road – vandalism
• North Avenue – larceny/forgery/fraud
• High Street – motor vehicle accident
• Featherbed Lane – suspicious motor vehicle
• Dexter Lane – simple threats.

Local Cable Programming

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Sunday June 22, 2008
9:00 AM – Music and the Spoken Word
11:00 AM – Physician's Focus
11:30 AM – White House Chronicles
12:00 PM – The Jeff Perry Report
12:30 PM – Rochester Board of Selectmen's Meeting
2:00 PM – Music and the Spoken Word
2:30 PM - First Congregational Church of Rochester
6:00 PM – Rochester Board of Selectmen's Meeting
7:30 PM – Bulletin Board
8:00 PM – Rochester Planning Board
12:00 AM – Midnight Movie

Monday June 23, 2008
Noon – Midday Movie
2:00 PM - Jazzercise
2:30 PM – Local Interest Programming
5:00 PM – The Commonwealth Report
5:30 PM – White House Chronicle
8:00 PM – Army News Watch
8:30 PM – Physician's Focus
12:00 AM – Midnight Movie

Tuesday June 24, 2008
10:00 AM – ORR Programming
Noon – Midday Movie
1:30 PM – The Wanderer Presents
2:00 PM - Jazzercise
2:30 PM – The Eastern Coyote
4:00 to 8:00 PM – ORCTV presents ORR programming
8:30 PM – Rochester Board of Selectmen's Meeting
9:30 PM – Rochester Town Meeting
11:30 PM – Rochester Selectmen's Meeting
12:00 AM – Midnight Movie

Wednesday June 25, 2008
Noon – Midday Movie
2:00 PM - Jazzercise
2:30 PM – Local Interest Programs
5:30 PM – Ampersand
8:00 PM - Physician's Focus
8:30 PM – Capitol Perspectives with Sen. Kennedy
9:00 PM – Ampersand
10:30 PM - Army News Watch
12:00 AM – Midnight Movie

Thursday June 26, 2008
10:00 AM – ORR Programming
Noon – Midday Movie
2:00 PM - Jazzercise
2:30 PM – Local Interest Programs
4:00 to 8:00 PM – ORCTV presents ORR programming
8:30 PM – The Rock Star Stories
9:00 PM – Penny Dreadful's Schilling Shockers
11:00 PM – The Conn Jackson Show
12:00 AM – Penny Dreadful's Schilling Shockers
1:30 AM – Slumlord Production presents: Films by Courtney Fathom Sells

Friday June 27, 2008
9:00 AM – Rochester Town Meeting
Noon – Midday Movie
2:00 PM - Jazzercise
2:30 PM – Rochester Planning Board
8:00 PM – Mass Talk
9:00 PM – Capitol Perspectives with Sen. Kennedy
11:00 PM – Ampersand
12:00 AM – Midnight Movie Double Feature

Saturday June 28, 2008
8:00 AM to Noon – Classic Cartoon Festival
Noon – The Eastern Coyote
1:30 - New England Outdoor Life
3:00 to 7:00 PM - ORCTV presents ORR programming
8:30 PM – The Rock Star Stories
9:00 PM – Penny Dreadful's Schilling Shockers
11:00 PM – The Conn Jackson Show
12:00 AM – Penny Dreadful's Schilling Shockers
1:30 AM – Slumlord Production presents: Films by Courtney Fathom Sells

CHANNEL 95
Marion Government Channel

6:30 PM Every Week Night:
Marion Board of Selectmen's Meeting

Saturday and Sunday:
11:00 AM – Marion Planning Board Meeting
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Marion Art Center

Month in Sicily

"A Month in Sicily" is the title of the new exhibition now on display at the Marion Art Center. Professor Anthony Miraglia, a tenured professor of Painting in the Fine Arts Department at UMass Dartmouth, took a group of students to Sicily for the month of June 2007, to study painting and art history. He was born in Sicily and was assisted in his teaching by Maura McGurk, a 2007 MFA graduate in Painting from UMass Dartmouth. Judith Rosbe was among the students on the trip. She graduated from UMass Dartmouth with a BFA in Photography in 2007 (summa cum laude).

Professor Miraglia, Ms. McGurk and Mrs. Rosbe are the featured artists in the exhibition which will include the results of that experience last summer. Most of the work is abstract paintings which were inspired by their surroundings. Judith Rosbe took over 800 photographs as well and will include some of them in the installation in both galleries at the Art Center. The colors, textures and light are unique and interpreted in unusual ways by this trio of artists.

The exhibition will run through June 25. The galleries are open to the public Tuesday through Friday, 1:00 to 5:00 pm, and Saturdays, 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. Admission is free.

Dance Program

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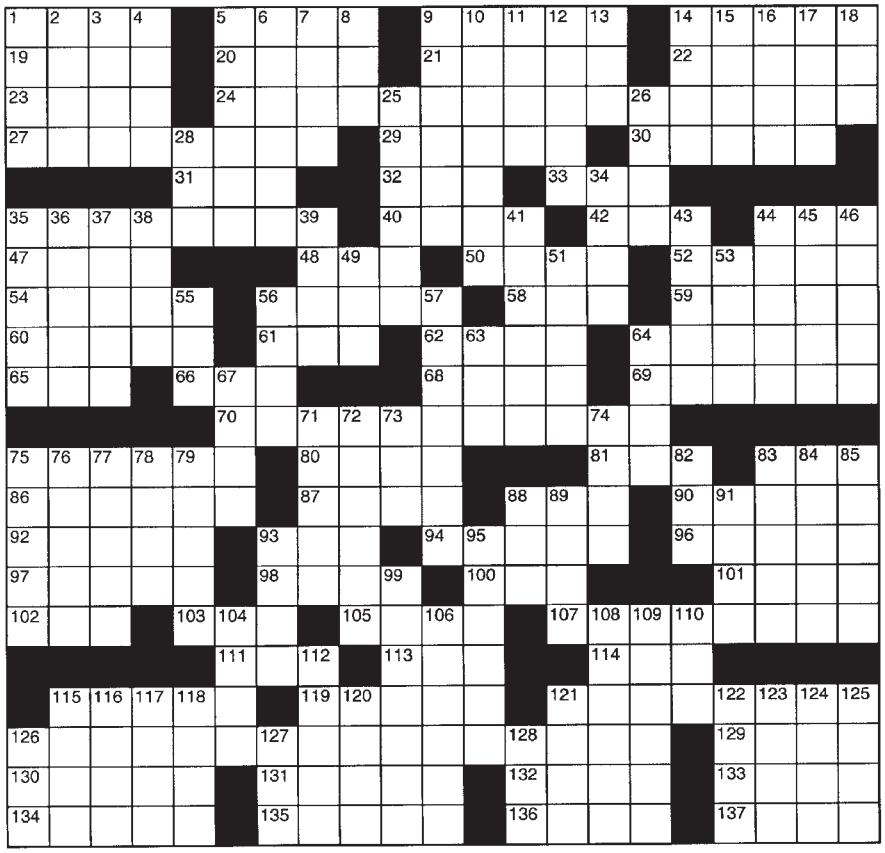
21 What the nose knows
22 Greene or Michaels
23 Be a blacksmith
24 Start of a remark by James Dent
27 Appropriates
29 Dutch artist Jan
30 Let up
31 Rep.
32 Speakeasy patron
33 Hoover, for one
35 Part 2 of remark
40 Beginning on
42 '72 Michael Jackson smash
44 Impact sound
47 Downey of "Touched by an Angel"
48 Woodworking tool
50 New York university
52 "Butterfield 8" author
54 Rouse
56 Singer Payne
58 Plant disease
59 Ponti's partner
60 Become a prune
61 Islands instrument
62 Baby —
64 Like Hercules
65 "Malcolm X" director
66 — Mahal
68 Widespread
69 Shed
70 Part 3 of remark
75 Ambush man
80 Ripped
81 Periodontists' org.
83 Bud
86 Tweety Pie, e.g.
87 Highlands tongue
88 Nobelist Octavio
90 Man from Malmo
92 Hersey setting
93 They may be personal
94 Ornamental mat
96 "Salome" character
97 Like some paper
98 Covenant
100 Opie's aunt
101 Unit of area
102 Archaic preposition
103 Conductor Queler
105 Snake sound
107 Part 4 of remark
111 Slalom curve
113 Ruby of "A Raisin in the Sun"
114 Limit
115 Sink
119 Dust busters
121 — squash
126 End of remark
129 Peace of mind
130 Soviet cooperative
131 "He's making — . . ."
132 Buffalo waterfront
133 Jocular Johnson
134 Director Sergio
135 "Beau —" ('39 film)
136 Equipment
137 Actor Wallace

DOWN
1 Speech problem
2 Neighbor of Molokai
3 Violinist Oistrakh
4 Playwright Coward
5 Spectrum shade
6 Discuss
7 Auto pioneer
8 Petite pooch
9 Prepares onions
10 ". . . baby on the —"
11 Emulate Sinbad
12 Improve
13 Violent card game?
14 Hunk of gunk
15 Pindaric character
16 Pluck
17 Fairy-tale start
18 Golfer's gadget
25 Disney rabbit
26 Tom, Dick, or Harry
28 No Einstein
34 Encourage a culprit
35 Go fishing
36 Long of football
37 Stun
38 Daily receipts
39 TV's "— Shadows"
41 Remote
43 Nick of "I Love Trouble"
44 Strauss aristocrat
45 Common contraction
46 Chutney ingredient
49 Minuscule
51 Reindeer name
53 Israeli dance
55 Tolkien creation
56 Japanese volcano
57 Rubbed the wrong way
63 Garage supply
64 Runners carry it
67 Crooked
71 Bara of the silents
72 Judd of "George & Leo"
73 "— a Rebel" ('62 hit)
74 Unclear
75 It'll give you a weigh
76 Lowest point
77 Absurd
78 Sheet of stamps
79 Carve a canyon
82 Furniture wood
83 "Thanks, Robespierre!"
84 Idolize
85 Surrenders
88 In-your-face item
89 Guinness or Baldwin
91 Sport
93 Does Little work
95 Preoccupy
99 Most methodical
104 Jacket feature
106 Hardly hyper
108 Small shrub
109 Foam
110 Choose, with "for"
112 Face lift?
115 Wet blanket
116 Concerning
117 WWII gun
118 Tropical spot
120 Handel's "— and Galatea"
121 Spotless
122 "— of the Cat" ('77 hit)
123 Reduce, with "down"
124 — Spumante
125 Poverty
126 Baseball's Ripken
127 Witty one
128 Foster or Tilly



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SALOME'S STARS

ARIES (March 21 to April 19) Your creative side is enhanced by indulging yourself in as much artistic inspiration (music, art, dance, etc.) as you can fit into your schedule. Take someone special with you.

TAURUS (April 20 to May 20) Take a little restorative time out of your busy life. Go somewhere quiet this weekend. Or just close the door, turn on the answering machine and pretend you're away.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 20) Your advice might be much in demand by family and friends this week. But reserve time for yourself to investigate a project that could have some unexpected potential.

CANCER (June 21 to July 22) Work-related issues demand your attention in the early part of the week. Family matters dominate Thursday and Friday. But the weekend is yours to spend as you please.

LEO (July 23 to August 22) Try to keep your temper in check as you deal with someone who seems to enjoy showing disrespect. Losing your Leonine cool might be just what the goader hopes to see.

VIRGO (August 23 to September 22) A heated confrontation needs some cool-off time before it boils over. Better to step away than to try to win an argument where emotions overrule the facts.

LIBRA (September 23 to October 22) Someone very special in your life finally sends that reassuring message you've been hoping for. You can now devote more time to the tasks you had put aside.

SCORPIO (October 23 to November 21) Job pressures begin to ease by the week's end, leaving you time to relax and restore your energy levels before you face next week's emerging challenges.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22 to December 21) Your spiritual strength helps calm a friend who might be facing an unsettling change in his or her life. An offer to help comes from a surprising source.

CAPRICORN (December 22 to January 19) By midweek you could learn some surprising facts about an associate that might cause you to reconsider a long-held view about someone in your past.

AQUARIUS (January 20 to February 18) One of those rare-for-you darker moods sets in in the early part of the week. But by Thursday, the clouds lift and you're back doing nice things for people in need.

PISCES (February 19 to March 20) Use that sharp Piscean perceptiveness to reel in more information about a promising offer so that you have the facts to back up whatever decision you make.

BORN THIS WEEK: Although you prefer the status quo, you easily can adapt to change when it's called for.

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that Teah Mazzoni has joined the staff as Instructor of Dance. The Dance Program for 3-5 year olds has reopened on Wednesdays, 4:00 to 4:45 pm. There will be three six-week sessions culminating in a mini-recital in June. Tuition for each session is $75 for MAC members and $85 for non-members.

Teah Mazzoni is an enthusiastic and bright young woman. Dance has always been a large part of her life, and she looks forward to the opportunity to teach at the Art Center. She began her dance career at Sherry Gold Studios and later was a competition dancer at Kathy Medina's Studio in Rochester. At 17 she began teaching and choreographing for the 3-5 age group. At 18 she was crowned Miss Dance Olympus 1998 and performed as one of the 15 Headliner Dancers at the National Competition in Atlantic City, NJ.

She attended the University of Massachusetts, Amherst and received a BS, Magna Cum Laude. Although her heart was dedicated to dance, she had an equal love of working with children and pursued a Master of Education Degree at Bridgewater State College where she graduated with a GPA of 4.0 in 2007. She currently is teaching second grade at Rochester Memorial School.

For more information and registration, please call the Marion Art Center 508-748-1266, or stop by during gallery hours: Tuesday to Friday, 1:00 to 5:00 pm and Saturdays, 10:00 am to 2:00 pm.

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LEGAL NOTICES

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BOARD OF APPEALS
#969 The Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing on the petition of Albert and Louise Weigel, 296 Hartley Road, Assessors plan 34 lot15C, who are seeking a variance under section VIII.C.2 a. to allow construction of a garage larger than the allowed 1,000 square feet and a variance from set back requirements under Section VIII.C.2. The public hearing will be conducted on June 26, 2008, 7:45 pm in the Town Hall Conference Room., One Constitution Way.
Richard J. Manning, Jr., Chairman 06/12, 06/19

LEGAL NOTICE
TOWN OF ROCHESTER
BOARD OF APPEALS
#968 The Board of Appeals will hold a public hearing on the petition of Edward and Mary Bessey, 68 Dexter Lane, Assessors plan 6, lot 9A, who are seeking a variance under Section VIII.C.d. to allow construction of an accessory structure larger than the allowed 1,000 square feet. The public hearing will be conducted on June 26, 2008, 7:30 PM in the Town Hall Conference Room.
Richard J. Manning, Jr., Chairman 06/12, 06/19

LEGAL NOTICE
TOWN OF MARION
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
The Marion Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, July 2, 2008 at 7:00 PM in the Town House conference room, 2 Spring Street, on a Request for a Determination of Applicability #41D-1354 submitted by THE TRUSTEES OF RESERVATIONS to construct a public hiking trail system at the 243-acre Hales Brook Tract off County Road, shown as Lot 4 on Marion Assessors' Map 21. Work includes expanding the existing parking area to 40' x 60', constructing a 265' long boardwalk over a wetland, and constructing a bridge across Hales Brook. Plans are available at the Town House for review.
Norman A. Hills, Chairman 06/19

LEGAL NOTICE
TOWN OF MARION
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
The Marion Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, July 2, 2008 at 7:10 PM in the Town House conference room, 2 Spring Street, on a Notice of Intent submitted by BRUCE AND DIANA COBBOLD to construct a single-family dwelling, a driveway, and relocate a 12" outfall drain pipe at 339 Front Street, further identified as Lot 1E on Marion Assessors' Plan 13. Plans are available at the Town House for review.
Norman A. Hills, Chairman 06/19

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TOWN OF MARION
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
The Marion Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, July 2, 2008 at 7:20 PM in the Town House conference room, 2 Spring Street, on a Request for a Determination of Applicability #41D-1353 submitted by the ROSEN POINT FAMILY LTD. PARTNERSHIP, C/O GERALD D. ROSEN, to construct a 12.5' by 9.9' addition at 94 Piney Point Road, further identified as Lot 68 on Marion Assessors' Plan 2. Plans are available at the Town House for review.
Norman A. Hills, Chairman 06/19

LEGAL NOTICE
TOWN OF MARION
CONSERVATION COMMISSION
The Marion Conservation Commission will hold a public hearing on Wednesday, July 2, 2008 at 7:30 PM in the Town House conference room, 2 Spring Street, on a Notice of Intent submitted by FRANKLYN G. & PRISCILLA P. BILL to construct a retaining wall on the landward side of the house, repair a seawall, repair railings on the stone pier, repair wood decks on the house, and associated grading. The project is located at 296 Delano Road and is further identified as Lot 4D on Marion Assessors' Plan 5. Plans are available at the Town House for review.
Norman A. Hills, Chairman 06/19

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1. TELEVISION: The phrase, "Book 'em, Danno," was a staple on which television show?
2. MOVIES: What was the name of Tony Stark's faithful assistant in "Iron Man"?
3. MEDICAL: What function does the appendix serve in the human body?
4. U.S. STATES: What is the capital of Louisiana?
5. FASHION: What kind of jewelry was off-limits for Victorian women during the day?
6. FAIRY TALES: What was the third item that Jack stole from the giant in "Jack and the Beanstalk"?
7. GEOGRAPHY: What is the world's smallest ocean?
8. U.S. PRESIDENTS: Which president was born on July 4?
9. LANGUAGE: What does it mean for someone to be in "high dudgeon"?
10. ANIMAL KINGDOM: What makes up a shark's skeleton?

Answers
1. "Hawaii Five-O"
2. Pepper Potts
3. It has no known function.
4. Baton Rouge
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Another consideration might be the Friendly Visitor Program. Local volunteers, who have been trained and CORI-checked, will visit for an hour a week and socialize with a normally-homebound person. If this might be of interest to you, or if you would like more information, please call the Mattapoisett COA at 508-758-4110 and ask for Ben Martin or Dr. Vanessa Williams.

Marion Antiques Show

The Sippican Historical and Preservation Society is pleased to announce the dates for the upcoming 2008 Marion Antiques Show. Co-Chaired by Trudy Kingery and Jilline Fearons, the event will take place Saturday, August 16 and Sunday August 17, with a Preview Party to be held on Friday, August 15. This year marks the 16th anniversary of the Show, which is a benefit fundraiser for the Sippican Historical and Preservation Society.

All proceeds from the Antiques Show go to the non-profit Society, which, in past years, has used monies raised to complete preservation and beautification projects throughout Marion. A portion of last year's show proceeds was directed toward development and publi-

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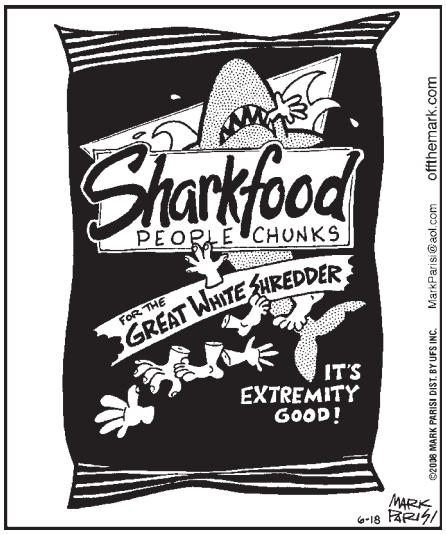

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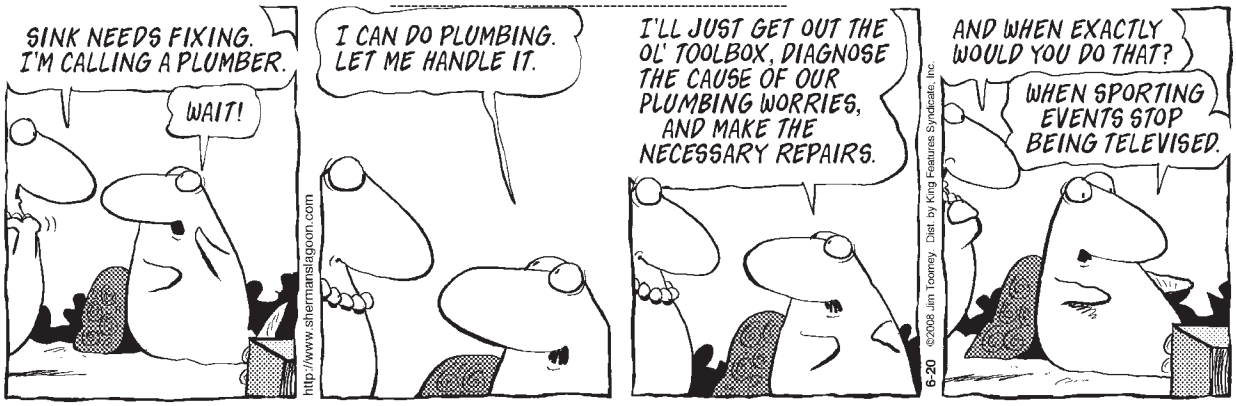

Real Estate Transactions

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Buyer(s)	Seller(s)	Address	City	Date	Price
Ship Street RT Whitney, Caroline HB	Whitney, Thomas HP Whitney, Mark H	2 Ship St	Mattapoisett	05/30/2008	1085000
6 Water Street LLC Shappy, Russell F	Frawley, David E Asack, George N	6 Water St	Mattapoisett	05/30/2008	650000
Waldron, Thomas G Waldron, Marcia A	Eisen, Terry	7 Dexter Ln	Mattapoisett	05/30/2008	535000
Ruel, Steven Ruel, Joyeuse G	Ruel, Steven D Ruel, Paula Ann	6 Dexter Ln	Mattapoisett	06/03/2008	222000
Smiley, Deborah J Ogle, Samuel T	Barnes, James E Barnes, Dale C	122 Mattapoisett Neck Rd	Mattapoisett	06/02/2008	1150000
Webster Bk	Ingram, Carol	9 Acushnet Rd	Mattapoisett	06/02/2008	225000
Morrison, Karen A Morrison, Brian W	Armitage, William D	151 North St	Mattapoisett	06/05/2008	293000
DLJ Mortgage Capital Inc	Goguen, Faith A	617 Marys Pond Rd	Rochester	06/05/2008	287335
Pierre, Michael C Pierre, Elke B	Hastings, Joan L	544 Point Rd	Marion	06/03/2008	570000
Howard, John B Howard, David B	Neal, Richard F Neal, Julia T	323 Converse Rd	Marion	06/03/2008	315000
Stoehr, Steven M Stoehr, Roseann	Fearing, George R	110 Olde Knoll Rd	Marion	05/30/2008	440000

Raynham. Leave at 9:00: Return at 12:00;

• Monday, June 30 – Trip to Roger Williams Park Zoo andLunch. Leave at 8:30; Return at 3:00.

Announcements

• June Friday Movies – Start at 1:30 pm with a new release or recent movie ... with popcorn! Titles include: June 20 - *The Bucket List;* June 27 - *P.S. I Love You*.

• Extended Hours are Here – (Funded by a grant from the Executive Office of Elder Affairs) – The Rochester Senior Center is now open Monday and Thursday nights, 6:30 to 8:00 pm.

• Monday nights – Paul Letourneau is back in Rochester! Join the Rochester COA for their new Square Dancing class! It's a fitness program that does it all at a cost that will fit your budget. Donation of $4 per class, paid directly to the instructor. The first night is free. Class is 6:30 to 8:30 pm. All levels of expertise *are welcome*! Comfortable dress, enthusiasm, and willingness to learn are all that are required! Let's extend a warm welcome back to Paul Letourneau. Many of you may remember Paul from his years of teaching at the Rochester Grange! Come to just watch or dance. All ages and anyone welcome!

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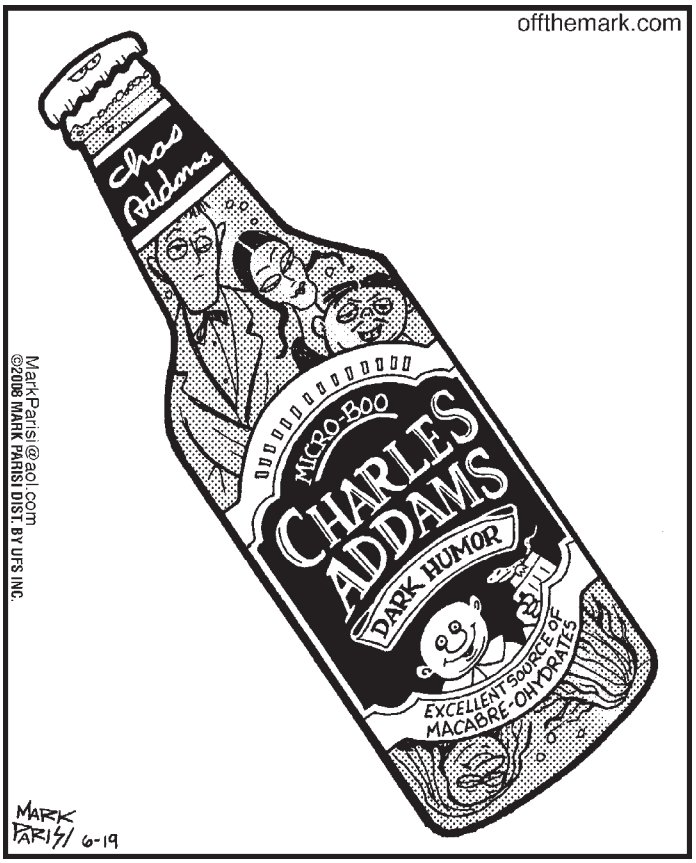
June 19:	Thurs.	9:08	9:24	2:48	2:23
June 20:	Fri.	9:48	10:01	3:28	3:06
June 21:	Sat.	10:28	10:51	4:05	3:47
June 22:	Sun.	11:11	11:23	4:39	4:28
June 23:	Mon.	11:55	. . .	5:13	5:10
June 24:	Tues.	12:09	12:40	5:49	5:59
June 25:	Wed.	12:57	1:28	6:30	6:57
June 26:	Thurs.	1:48	2:19	7:19	8:10
June 27:	Fri.	2:43	3:14	8:16	9:32
June 28:	Sat.	3:43	4:16	9:17	10:44
June 29:	Sun.	4:48	5:21	10:16	11:46
June 30:	Mon.	5:52	6:21	11:13	. . .
July 1:	Tues.	6:52	7:20	12:45	12:11
July 2:	Wed.	7:48	8:14	1:43	1:07
July 3:	Thurs.	8:42	9:07	2:39	2:05
July 4:	Fri.	9:35	9:59	3:31	3:02
July 5:	Sat.	10:27	10:50	4:15	3:56
July 6:	Sun.	11:20	11:42	4:56	4:49

Phases of the Moon

Last Quarter	June 26th
New Moon	July 3rd
First Quarter	July 10th
Full Moon	July 18th

off the mark by Mark Parisi



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To enter, simply find the aardvark in this issue, then go to our web page and select the link "I Found the Aardvark" entry page. If you would like to enter by mail, send your name, address and phone number along with the issue date and page number you found him in to: Wanderer - I Found the Aardvark, P.O. Box 102, Mattapoisett, MA 02739.

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